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GRANGER PICNIC PLANS CALL FOR BUSY WEEK

Committee Aims to Make Event Best in Many Years.

PURE-BRED STOCK SHOW

Only four weeks until the great Grange Encampment and Centre County Fair will be in full swing, and it is the aim of the management to make it bigger and better each year, and while the new grounds, purchased one year ago, will not be used to any great extent this year, the crowded condition of the original Grange Park is proof of the growth of the institution and the need for additional space for expansion. By another year, the development of the plan recently adopted will begin.

Tents will be occupied and the 1924 location changed very little. An earnest effort is made to please each family and arrange for the comfort of campers. Tent rents will not be changed—$6.00 for 12x12 size and $7.00 for 14x14 size. Electricity, when desired will be placed in tents at same rate as in previous years, $1.75 for the week. Stoves are no longer available. Campers are urged to bring oil stoves. Oil can be purchased on the grounds.

In his department, D. L. Bartges is making every effort to fill his space with exhibits, concessions and amusements that are worth while, new and interesting to young and old.

As regards amusements, the Secretary of Agriculture insists more careful supervision be exercised at agricultural fairs to conform with law.

While the season has been unfavorable, it is hoped a big response will be made to the appeal to farmers and friends to prepare for and bring as full and complete an exhibit of products from farm, garden and orchard as can be secured; also, all kinds of canned fruits, vegetables and jellies. In fact, any product of the home kitchen will be received. The payment of ten cents for each meritorious article has been discontinued in this department, but cash prizes have been considerably increased, both in amounts paid and number, so that those whose exhibits are worthwhile will be the gainers.

The exhibit of modern needlework will be continued as heretofore, and 10 cents paid for each article not before exhibited. Exhibit of antiques discontinued for lack of space.

Vocational schools and the Extension Department will also prepare exhibits and through the Extension Department Home Economics will be represented.

The exhibit of pure bred stock will be much larger than ever before, and the County Agent, who is in charge of this department, is sparing no effort to get in touch with owners of good stock, explaining to them the advantages of showing their stock at the only fair in Centre county, and the satisfactory premiums paid.

John S. Dale has secured an exhibit of machinery and automobiles and tractors up to the standard.

The evening entertainments will be in the form of plays presented in the auditorium by various granges of Centre county, and will be well staged and well acted. A small admission will be charged, proceeds to be equally divided between the performing grange and Encampment and Fair.

Speakers of State and National reputation will be present on Wednesday, Grand Army day, and on Thursday, Grange Day.

There will be plenty of music. A popular musical company will be with us the entire week and give many present, all free. Bands will also be present.

Admission charges have not changed; 50 cents for those 14 years old and over, good for the week; under 14 years, free admission. 50 cents automobile parking, also good for week.

All trains stop at Grange Park and all roads lead to Centre Hall the week beginning Saturday, August 30.

Write secretary for further information.

Bootlegger Arrested.

Last Thursday evening Chief Dukeman apprehended one of the men who, it is alleged, has long been among the most flagrant violators of the prohibition laws in this section. The man is Joseph Grassmyer, of Milesburg. He was arraigned before 'Squire Woodring on Saturday morning who decided, in view of the evidence offered, to hold the offender under $1000 bail for Court. Bail was furnished.

White enamel interior and exterior kitchen cabinets, August Sale price $37.75. W. R. Brachbill Furniture.

TROOPS END TRAINING

Local Units of National Guard Returned Home Saturday.

Tired from the long train ride, but nevertheless happy to be home again, the Bellefonte units of the National Guard detrained here last Saturday afternoon about 4 o'clock. They immediately marched to the armory and, after details had been assigned to unload the horses, were dismissed until Sunday morning when they returned to unload equipment.

The 52nd brigade of cavalry, of which the Bellefonte units are members, closed its two weeks' training period at Mt. Gretna on Friday, with a formal review by General John P. Wood, commander of the brigade. In a farewell speech to the officers immediately afterward he complimented the entire brigade upon its efficiency, evidenced throughout the entire encampment, and especially the fine showing made at the final review.

An officers club, consisting of officers of the 52nd Machine Gun squadron, was formed during the latter part of camp, with a view to binding together more closely the various units of the squadron while on the home stations. Captain Robert Kreps, of Lewistown, was elected president for the coming year; Captain Herbert S. Miller, of Bellefonte, vice-president, and Lieutenant Gideon C. Payne, Bellefonte, secretary and treasurer. A new troop was attached to the squadron while in camp, Company A., of the 125th. engineers, of Altoona.

Captain R. T. George, regular army instructor attached to the machine gun squadron, received last minute orders to remain at camp for another week as an instructor to the infantry, of which there are two regiments still at Mt. Gretna. The captain will probably return to Bellefonte on Saturday.

The slanting rays of the evening sun at retreat on Thursday fell on one of the most impressive ceremonies in the army, and one never before participated in by the squadron, when Major Curtin pinned the bars on three newly commissioned officers. The entire squadron, dressed in its best bib and tucker, stood at attention in the form of a square cornered "U" with the Commanding Officer and his staff standing in the upper or open space of the formation. The first to be called was Walter Poorman, of Boalsburg, who was advanced from the grade of 2nd. Lieutenant to that of 1st. Lieutenant, attached to Troop A. Incidentally, Lieutenant Poorman was the first 2nd. Lieutenant in the brigade to command an entire troop for the period of the annual encampment. This unusual happening was brought about by the unavoidable absence of Captain Sohl, of Boalsburg, on account of sickness in his family. The second man to receive bars was Sergeant Robert Thompson, Bellefonte, who was commissioned a 2nd. Lieutenant, to be attached to the headquarters detachment. The third man honored was Sergeant Kenneth Mahaffie, of Altoona, who was commissioned a Lieutenant, with assignment to Troop A, at Boalsburg.

Troop B, of Bellefonte, had the distinction of having the highest single score on the 1000-inch machine gun range, when 1st. Sergeant Willis E. Emenhizer made a perfect total of 20 bulls-eyes out of 20 shots fired. In this connection it might also be mentioned that 14 members of the Bellefonte troop qualified on the pistol range, 11 of them making the grade of "marksman," and 3 of "sharpshooter."

HAD BOTH ARMS BROKEN

Miss Mary Kline, of State College, Victim in Motor Accident.

Miss Mary Kline, of State College, was the innocent victim of reckless driving last Thursday evening, when the car in which she was riding was forced from the road into a concrete abutment and both her arms were broken.

The accident happened near the old toll gate leading to AxeMann. Nels Kline, accompanied by his cousin, Mary Kline, was driving along toward State College at a perfectly safe and sane rate of speed in his Chevrolet roadster, when he met one of Emerick's motor busses coming toward Bellefonte. Just then some speed demon in a Studebaker from Johnsonburg came tearing up behind the Chevrolet and passed it. In order to avoid a head-on collision with the bus, the driver of the Studebaker cut his car in front of the Chevrolet, hooking the front bumper of the latter with his own rear fender. The lighter car was thrown off the road and into the concrete abutment with such force that it was completely wrecked.

Present day prices of rugs less the 20% discount during W. R. Brachbill's sale equals per-war prices.

Advertise in "The Republican."

PLANS ANNOUNCED FOR BALD EAGLE HIGHWAY

State Department to Award Contracts for Concrete Road.

COUNTY GIVEN NOTICE

Official announcement was made on Tuesday by the State Highway Department of its decision to proceed as soon as possible with the construction of a modern highway in Bald Eagle valley, from Snow Shoe Intersection to the "Triangle," beyond Port Matilda. With the completion of this link there will be a continuous stretch of concrete highway from Milesburg to Tyrone. It is expected that contracts will be awarded in the next few months and construction work begun early in the spring of 1925.

A thorough survey of the proposed highway, completed recently, eliminates two railroad grade crossings and numerous dangerous curves. The route will be straightened at every point possible. When the highway is finished it will provide one of the finest level, straight drives in Pennsylvania.

Outlining the plans of the State Highway Department, N. A. Staples, district engineer, with headquarters in Bellefonte, forwarded the following letter to the Centre County Commissioners:

Bellefonte, Pa., Aug. 4, 1924

Centre County Commissioners,
Bellefonte, Pa.

Gentlemen:—

I am permitted to advise you that the Department of Highways is preparing for the construction of Route No. 107, Bald Eagle Valley road, from Snow Shoe Intersection to Port Matilda. We are particularly anxious to complete the plans for immediate construction.

Our records show the following bridges to be owned by Centre County, and the responsibility for reconstruction rests with the county:

Wallace Run bridge, near Snow Shoe Intersection, a low truss with 59 foot span.

At station 865, below Unionville, I-beam bridge, 20 foot span.

Station 1020, I-beam bridge, 31 foot span, near Port Matilda.

Station 1066, truss bridge near Port Matilda, 32 foot span.

It is my desire to complete the plans for construction at once, and I intend to include on the plan all State-owned bridges to be rebuilt. If the County Commissioners so desire, these bridges owned by the County may be included in the contract and let under the same road contract, the State furnishing the necessary engineering and inspection.

Yours very truly,
N. A. STAPLES,
Dist. Engineer

Whether or not all four bridges mentioned in Mr. Staples' letter are County bridges, will be a matter for legal decision. If so, they will have to be rebuilt at the expense of the County, estimated at upward of $25,000. The County, under the law, will also be compelled to bear the expense of all damages to private lands resulting from re-locating the highway at various points. There is no way of estimating at this time what such damage claims will amount to, although it may be expected that they will represent some thousands of dollars.

That the Centre County Commissioners will find it necessary to increase the tax millage in 1925 to meet this road improvement expense is a foregone conclusion. As usual, at this time of year, the County finds it necessary to borrow money to pay current bills. Borrowing will continue to be unavoidable until 1924 taxes become payable. Just how much the tax millage will be raised in 1925 will not be known until the County Commissioners have actual data in hand showing the bridges the County must rebuild, the cost of each, and the final adjustments covering damages where private lands are taken to straighten the highway.

Kiwanis News.

The Kiwanians and their ladies had a rousing good time from 6:30 to 9:30 at the Brockerhoff House Tuesday evening, due to the efforts of W. Harrison Walker and his committee. Between the courses of a very excellent dinner, there were songs led by Kiwanian Blair, speeches and other entertainment. Kiwanian Tommie Richardson, of Williamsport, furnished a very amusing monologue, followed by clever stunts by Cal. Bathurst and Nat. Gaunt, of Lock Haven. Kiwanian Sloop's toast to the ladies was clever and witty. Mrs. Olaf Risen, soprano, sang a couple of Norwegian songs. Each lady was presented with a beautiful bouquet of sweet peas, given by Mrs. J. O. Stutzman. Attendance prizes were given by Charles Schlow and the lucky recipients were Mrs. James Harter who won a parasol, and James Barnhart, who drew a box of handkerchiefs.

LOCAL TOURISTS HOME AFTER TRIP TO COAST

W. J. Emerick Says He Found LaFollette Sentiment in West.

BUSINESS IS PICKING UP

The motor party of Mr. William J. Emerick, consisting of himself, his wife and son, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Crawford, returned to Bellefonte on Tuesday evening after having been on the road continuously for nearly two months and covering thousands of miles of highways of every description.

When interviewed by a representative of "The Republican" as to the political sentiment and business conditions in general in the west and middle west, Mr. Emerick made the following statement:

"LaFollette, the Progressive—Political candidate for Presidential honors, seems to be the favorite of the majority of voters in the north and middle west. However, whether or not this was the result of an attempted boom and was merely a surface indication and not really the sentiment of the great mass of voters could not be determined by talks with residents encountered in hotel lobbies and along the wayside stops.

"The Democratic convention was just in progress during much of our trip and, naturally, nothing could be determined as to the sentiment of the Democratic voters.

"On the trip west many complaints were heard as to the general business depression, which seemed to prevail throughout the entire country. However, things seemed to have taken a turn for the better when our party started on its homeward journey, and a quite appreciable difference was to be noted on business men's faces along the route. 'A great crop for the season,' is the slogan of the optimists and, without a doubt, the corn crop in Iowa and Nebraska, which are in the very heart of the corn belt, will be the most bountiful in years.

"Living conditions west of Chicago are considerably cheaper than anywhere in the est. Especially was this to be noted in California, where fine hotel accommonations could be secured for as low as $3 a night for a room. This, in the era of the '$5 and up' room in most of our better eastern hostelries."

Mr. Emerick also stated that the trip as a whole was the most delightful one he had ever experienced, in view of the fact that scarcely any inclement weather was encountered and a remarkable absence of the usual trials and tribulations which beset most motorists on a journey as lengthy as the one undertaken by his party. The huge trees of California, the Golden Gate, Yellowstone park, and innumerable other places of interest and beauty, all were touched on and admired by the members of the party.

OLD AGE PENSION KILLED

Dauphin County Court Declares Law Unconstitutional.

The Dauphin County Court on Monday held the old age pension act of the 1913 legislature unconstitutional.

Pennsylvania was one of the first states to adopt this form of benefit to its citizens.

Deputy Attorney General Philip S. Moyer, who argued the case for the commonwealth, declared an appeal will be taken to the State Supreme Court.

The act created an old age assistance commission with an appropriation of $25,000 for the inauguration of the system, which would provide pensions for persons 70 years old or older whose total property does not exceed $3,000.

James H. Maurer, president of the State Federation of Labor, was chairman of the commission of three which is abolished by the decision of the Court.

The act was declared unconstitutional because it violates the section of the constitution prohibiting any appropriation for "charitable, educational or benevolent purposes to any person or community."

It is held in the opinion of the Court that the act specifies that "every person shall be entitled to assistance in old age, and thus falls within the constitutional inhibition.

Although the attorney general defended the act because the appropriation is made to a commission, the Court declared that by such a construction the legislature would do indirectly what it could not do directly under the constitution.

The decision was written by President Judge William Hargest and concurred in by the other members of the bench.

Advertise in "The Republican."

COUNCIL MEETING

Fountain to be Installed at Big Spring; Report on Water Loss.

The regular semi monthly meeting of Bellefonte borough Council was held on Monday evening, with President John Walker in the chair.

A number of requests to have water lines extended, streets repaired and permits for gasoline tanks and pumps, were referred to various committees with power to act.

A letter acknowledging the receipt of the plans of the fire hydrants in the borough was received from the Underwriters association. A letter of appreciation from Burgess Allan Sterner, of Lock Haven, for recent services of the fire department was also read.

A number of complaints had been received about the condition of the sidewalk in front of the property owned by Mrs. William Gray, on High Street, opposite the jail. Referred to the borough manager for investigation. Complaints were also received about the sidewalk on Allegheny street along the front of the Brown property, which adjoins the Brant House at the rear. This is the second time the latter property has been brought to the attention of Council, and the matter was referred to the borough solicitor with power to take steps to enforce the needed repairs.

The long looked for report of the water committee on the recent house to house canvass for leaks in an effort to curtail the enormous wasteage of water was turned in and read. It developed that there were no less than 108 of the wasteful hopper type of toilets now in use in the borough. One hundred and eighty three leaks were discovered in homes and business places, of which 64 have already been repaired. Eight cooling troughs and spring houses were also unearthed. No leaks in the water mains could be discovered. After due deliberation the committee and Council came to the conclusion that the wasteage was due to the above mentioned causes, and ways and means for the elimination thereof were then taken into consideration. Finally the borough solicitor was directed to frame a letter to the owners of the above mentioned causes for wastesge, in which they are to be directed to remove the same within a reasonable length of time or be liable to extra charges for the use of the water. Similar letters are to be sent to property owners whose water lines showed the largest leaks.

The finance committee reported a $2000 note due and were granted permission for renewal and payment of accrued interest.

Morris Krader, representing the Krader Motor Co., was present and requested permission to remove the unsightly fence along the edge of his property which adjoins that of the Logan Hose Company. He also requested that the accumulated ashes from the fire house be removed. Referred to the fire and police committee.

Complaints were received from residents that tourists, hundreds of whom stop at the big spring daily, were using paper cups and then throwing them on the ground, so that the grass plot surrounding the spring was continually in an unsanitary and unsightly condition. At this juncture Dr. Seibert suggested that a sanitary marble drinking fountain be placed in the grounds immediately over the main inlet pipe with proper drainage into the creek, thereby doing away with the use of paper cups and removing at one stroke that much of the nuisance. The sanitary committee also requested that weeds, old tires and other debris be removed from Spring creek, or at least that much of it which is within the confines of the borough.

Stickler—Koons.

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at the Episcopal church on Monday morning at 10 o'clock, when Miss Ruth Stickler, of Bellefonte, and Dorsey W. Koons, of Williamsport, were united in marriage by Rev. Mr. Maynard. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Stickler, while the groom is the manager of the local A. & P. store. Immediately after the ceremony a wedding dinner was served at the home of the bride's parents, after which the young couple departed for Washington and other eastern cities. They were accompanied by the bride's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Stickler, of Tyrone.

Car Smashed.

On Wednesday evening of last week a Maxwell touring car was totally wrecked when it crashed into the bank on the right side of the road, nearby AxeMann. Witnesses say that the car, which was occupied by two men and two girls, was coming toward Bellefonte at a high rate of speed and became uncontrollable when it rounded the curve north of AxeMann. No serious injuries were sustained by any of the occupants.

NOW—ALL ABOARD FOR BUSINESS MEN'S PICNIC

Gala Day Scheduled at Hecla Park, Thursday, August 12th.

SOMEONE GETS A FORD

Plans are rapidly assuming shape for the annual Business Men's Picnic at Hecla Park, on Thursday, Aug. 14th. An interesting program has been arranged as follows:

Morning.

10:00. Band Concert.

10:30. Baseball.

10:45. Greased Pig Chase. Free for all. Catch him and he is yours.

11:00. Pie eating and Watermelon contest; a real one. Prizes for all events.

11:15. Candy, peanut and penny scramble. This is for the kiddies. Plenty to scramble for.

11:30 to 1:00. Special orchestra concert by the Penn Pat Orchestra.

Afternoon.

1:00. Boxing and wrestling, the big feature of the day. Four bouts boxing, battle royal, 1 bout wrestling. In tent next to ball park.

2:00 to 5:00. Dancing in pavillion; music by Penn Pat Orchestra. This orchestra is par excellence, barring none.

3:00. Baseball.

3:30. Water sports, water diving scramble—a new stunt. Tilting contest, three contestants to a boat. Prizes. Canoe race, open to everyone, prize $5.

4:30. Band Concert.

Evening.

8:00 to 12:00. Dancing, music by Penn Pat Orchestra.

Letter From Kansas.

Louisburg, Kan. Aug. 1, 1924.

Editor Bellefonte Republican,
Bellefonte, Pa.

My dear Mr. Editor—It has been a long time since you have had any word from me, so I thought I would let you know that I am still in the land of the living. I am the only one of the family that is living, being the youngest. I have passed my seventy-fifth birthday, which was on the tenth of last May. My health is very good for one of my age. I laid my wife away three years ago, on March 21st, 1921, after a wedded life of thirty-one years. Have no children. I own property in this city, but am not living on it. Am making my home with a Catholic family. They treat me very kindly. I have been with them for two years. I am the only one of the Bell family living. When I am gone there will be none left. My father lies in the old cemetery in your city. My wife is buried in the cemetery here. It would give me a great deal of pleasure to visit my old home and take a stroll in your city, and visit the old Presbyterian church where I went every Sunday with my devoted mother and youngest sister to listen to the Rev. Daniel Linn. A pastor who filled the M. E. church in this city, by the name of Rupert, while on his way from India, preached in the Presbyterian church. A great many things which occurred when I was a boy pass through my mind. Those boy-hood days were spent in Centre County, going along the creek and hooking out the finny, spotted trout, going through the woods gathering wild berries and butternuts and chestnuts.

We are having a great deal of rain out here. The farmers are in the midst of their harvesting and haying. Corn does not seem to do well. It is not caring to suit the farmers. Oats does well here, but wheat is not much good, but in western Kansas it is yielding 40 bushels an acre. Stock feeding has been displaced by dairying. Sincerely,

F. P. BELL.

Two Injured by Falling.

Mrs. Henrietta Rockey, of Bellefonte, who has been a guest at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Claude Witmer, at Boalsburg, for the past month, sustained a broken arm and severe bruises last Thursday evening when she tripped at the head of the stairway in her daughter's home, and fell to the foot. She refused to be taken to the hospital and is now recovering as rapidly as could be expected. A similar accident, with less serious results, occurred to Mrs. Frank Weaver on the same evening, when the aged woman, who resides in the Frank Davis house on Bishop street, tripped in much the same way as did Mrs. Rockey, and fell to the foot of the stairway at the Davis home. No bones were broken, however, and aside from several severe bruises and being badly shaken up she sustained no serious injuries.

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Silk Broadcloth—White only	32 "	1.75 "
Changeable Taffetas	36 "	1.90 "
Georgettes	39 "	1.95 "
Printed Crepe de Chine	39 "	1.95 "
Charmeuse Satin — Black, Navy, Brown only	39 "	1.90 "
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The American Legion

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WORK "UNDER FIRE" FOR NEW MEMBERS

Twelve hundred new members secured in the period elapsing between the rising and setting of the sun was the achievement of Oklahoma American Legionnaires recently in a membership drive. Their drive was intensive and along the following lines:

Assembly was bugled at 6 a. m.. At 8:30 Legionnaires were folding their napkins after a breakfast served by the Auxiliary at the Legion home. At 7 the workers went forward into battle amidst the patter of real machine guns and the roar of real cannons. All through the day the machine guns were in operation. Each hour the fire whistle sounded, assembly call was blown and a bomb hurled into the skies, to explode 200 feet above the earth.

On the walls at "General Headquarters" a chart was placed containing a series of trenches. Each man's name was listed in the first trench and his status and line of advance during the day noted by a red thumb tack. When the objective was attained by any Legionnaire he was crowned with an Indian headgear and thrown in as a reinforcement in the salient where the line was weaker. By this plan every Legionnaire's valor under fire was recorded.

Cars were commandeered to seek out prospects living in the country where many an ex-service man was made a Legionnaire by the barter principle of exchange—chickens, eggs and pork in many instances being accepted in lieu of the necessary three bucks membership dues.

Police patrols and fire carts were pressed into service to "bring in" the handcuffed prisoners.

The Legion band and bugle corps played on the streets during the day.

Airplanes were used in distributing literature. One thousand theater tickets were thrown from high buildings.

Booths were maintained at prominent corners where many a thirsting ex-service man was near-beered and pretzeled into the Legion.

Reports of the progress of the drive were radio-broadcast throughout the day.

NEXT BIG FIGHTS

"THE Universal Service Law will be the next big fight of the Legion," was the prophecy of John R. Quinn, national commander of the American Legion, at a dinner given in his honor at Spokane, Wash., recently. The commander of the Legion declared: "Within three years we will have as big a fight on for this measure as we have had for the adjusted compensation. There will be other fights," the fighting commander of the Legion emphasized. "Children are being taught in schools of the country that military training is all wrong; it will be the Legion's policy to fight this anti-preparedness propaganda to the last trench.

"The next war, if there must be a next war, will be fought with every one suffering on an equal basis of sacrifice, and will not be as past wars, a condition of hardship for many and profit for the few."

New Officers Chosen at Georgia Convention

J. R. Fitzpatrick of Columbus was elected Georgia commander of the American Legion at the closing sessions of the sixth annual convention held in Savannah, Ga., recently. The election was made unanimous after Alexander Fawcett of Savannah withdrew from the race. Other officers elected are: State adjutant, M. C. McMullen, Columbus; senior vice commander, H. A. Carithers, Winder; junior vice commander, Leroy Cowart, Statesboro; chaplain, John Hogan, Salvation Army, Rome; historian, Miss Elizabeth Grimes, Atlanta; state treasurer, James A. Bankston, Atlanta. Asa W. Candler of Atlanta was elected national committeeman; Heyward Hosch, Gainesville, alternate national committeeman. Mrs. Boyce Ficklin, Jr., was elected president of the American Legion Auxiliary for Georgia.

To Teach Flag Rules in All Texas Schools

Standard flag rules are to be taught in all the schools in the state of Texas, as a result of a campaign waged by the Texas department of the American Legion for the introduction into the schools of a flag etiquette code. Flag etiquette is to be made a part of the course in civics. The state textbook commission authorized the adoption of the flag code following the appearance before it recently of the state commander of the Legion, who submitted the code to the commission along with arguments showing why it should be adopted.

LEGION MAN MAYOR OF SOUTHERN CITY

J. Fulmer Bright, Legionnaire mayor of Richmond, Va., is believed by his comrades of the American Legion at the old Southern capital to be the youngest Legionnaire to sit in the mayor's chair in a city of the size of Richmond, with its 200,000 population. Mayor Bright, who is only thirty-six years old, became a contender for that distinction when he defeated the man who had been mayor for 12 years.

The strenuous campaign came to a close recently. But there was no brick concealed under the hat in his path on All-Fools' day. He won a decisive victory over his opponent.

Mayor Bright was born in Richmond on November 17, 1887. He graduated from the Medical College of Virginia. After his graduation, he served for several years as professor of anatomy at that institution.

He did not confine his interests and activities to his professional duties.

J. Fulmer Bright.

From 1906 to 1917 he served in the Virginia National Guard. He was with the One Hundred and Sixteenth infantry in the Twenty-ninth division during the World war.

Since the war he has been commissioned a colonel of infantry. At present he is in command of the One Hundred and Eighty-third infantry in the Virginia militia.

His election to the mayoralty was not Colonel Bright's first venture in politics. He had represented Richmond in the state legislature in 1922 and 1923.

He knew what he was up against in entering the contest for the mayoralty with a man who had been so popular that he had held the office for 12 consecutive years. But this did not deter him.

He remembered the way the American doughboy had pushed forward with grim determination on the scarred battlefields of France. He decided that he would put into his campaign the same kind of push and driving force. So he entered the lists as the champion of the younger generation. And April Fool's day belied its name and brought to him the greatest political honor of his career.

The mayor has been a very active and loyal member of Richmond post No. 1, of the American Legion. His first expression upon being informed of the high honor which had come to him was:

"I am indeed proud of the privilege of being the humble instrument whereby this distinction is brought to a member of the American Legion."

Education Week to Be Observed November 17-23

"American Education week," conceived by the American Legion in 1921 at the annual meeting of the National Education association and observed annually since that time by Presidential proclamation, will be observed this year the week of November 17-23, inclusive.

The program of education week for this year will deal with the seven phases of national education held to be most imperative to the best interests of the country by the American Legion, the National Education association and the United States bureau of education, the organizations sponsoring the movement. The program for the week embraces: Constitution day, Patriotism day, School and Teacher day, Illiteracy day, Physical Education day, Community day and For God and Country day.

Determined to Check Un-American Propaganda

The Americanism division of the American Legion at national headquarters recently issued a statement in which it expressed itself as determined to stamp out all seditious, un-American and unpatriotic propaganda disseminated by pacifist organizations such as the "Women's International League for Peace and Freedom." The particular propaganda that aroused the Legion's declaration was printed in a booklet entitled, "America Menaced by Militarism," and read as follows: "Go to war if you want to, but know this: we have pledged ourselves not to give you our children, not to encourage or nurse your soldiers, not to knit a sock or roll a bandage or drive a truck or make a war speech or buy a bond!"

Start Transcontinental Air Mail

In the presence of senators, congressmen and postoffice officials coast-to-coast airplane mail service was started from New York recently. The inset shows the Chicago postmaster putting mail aboard one of the planes in Chicago. Two planes that left Long Island early in the morning arrived early in the evening at Maywood aviation field near Chicago. The sky was illuminated for miles to guide the night flyers by gigantic beacons placed at intervals between Chicago and Cheyenne, Wyo.

British Hard Times Fill Auction Rooms

Treasures From Country Homes Now on Market.

London.—Sir Rider Haggard writes to the Times deploring that the roofs of old English country mansions are rotting and falling in because the owners cannot afford to keep them up and there is no one to buy them, and that with them disappears the old English country life of which they were the center.

The contents of these old houses are pouring into the market as they have never done before, and popular belief is that most of these valuables are bought in by London art dealers for their American customers.

Even some of the old families which are known to be immensely rich, according to English values, are taking advantage of the high tide of art prices. For example, for sale soon at the famous Christie auction rooms is a group of old masters of world reputation put up by the duke of Westminster, which includes three pictures by Rubens forming part of a series said to have been painted by order of Philip IV to decorate a Carmelite convent; also a Virgin and Child by Vandyke.

Many Other Treasures Sold.

Other lots offered at Christie's, which combine the value of patrician associations with art, are:

"Old English furniture and needlework, the property of her grace, the duchess of Wellington," and carved oak furniture, the "property of his grace the duke of Marlborough and removed from a farmhouse on the Blenheim estate."

Also porcelains belonging to the Right Hon. Earl Hawe, G. C. V. O.; the Sneyd heirlooms from Keele hall, Staffordshire, which have a romantic flavor and consist mostly of old silver, furniture and porcelains; a valuable collection of pictures left by the late earl of Hardwicke; furniture belonging to the earl of Sandwich; and a few old masters put up by the right honorable, the earl of Clarendon, P. C., G. C. B., G. C. V. O.

Among the offerings at Sotheby's within the next month are valuable pictures, the property of Lady Edward Grosvenor, Sir John Hippisley, and other articles belonging to the countess of Gosford and Cora, countess of Strafford.

Private Bargains Are Made.

It is many years since any of the duke of Westminster's collection of old masters have appeared in the auction rooms, although some star picture has occasionally been sold by a private bargain, and treasures from Blenheim have rarely been obtainable in the lifetime of the present duke of Marlborough.

The belief that nearly everything sold goes to America is not entirely true. The good old reliable but uninspired British landscape artists of 100 years ago, whose works harmonized perfectly with the old country houses, are enjoying a boom in prices. The majority of them are practically unknown in America, and are not in demand there, yet the swiftness with which $2,000 or $3,000 are bid for pictures that went begging on the painter's hands shows that there is yet money in England for art.

PLYMOUTH ROCK IS TARGET FOR BOTTLES

Ancient Landmark Chipped by Souvenir Hunters.

Plymouth, Mass.—Some person or persons, probably the latter, has been throwing champagne bottles at Plymouth rock and they hit it, too, for there are white scars on the face of the panel which bears the date "1620." Samuel Rice, who is the custodian of the rock, the portico over it and the surrounding premises of the commonwealth reservation, made the discovery.

He said the gravelly beach fill around the rock which permits only the upper third of the stone to be seen, was well covered with broken glass, and he knew that six bottles had been used in the bombardment, for he picked up the bottoms and necks of that number and there might have been more, judging by the pieces of glass.

Mr. Rice also says that some relic-hunter has stolen a sliver from the rock, and points out what seems to be a freshly broken spot on the weather-worn surface close to which are marks as if some one had done a bit of hammering.

Plymouth Rock was taken from the custody of the Pilgrim society of this town in 1920 by the commonwealth of Massachusetts and is now a ward of the state. It lies about eight feet below the flooring of the portico which covers it and it is possible to walk about three sides of it. The other side is toward the sea and a low arch there allows the waves to wash in when the tide is high enough. Stout metal bars close this opening—partly—for it is perfectly possible to creep through beneath the grating, or no feat to climb down from the floor of the portico to reach the rock. That part of the town is almost deserted at night. The conditions are such that a souvenir hunter could easily obtain his desire after dark and be almost safe from interruption.

The old canopy which covered the rock from 1867 to 1920 was provided with tall steel grill gates which were locked nights, and the stone laid in plain view from the street, and not below it as it now does, so marauders had little chance then. Protection of some kind is needed for the stone.

Divorced 5 Years, Aged Couple Rewed

Los Angeles, Cal.—Divorced five years ago after forty years of married life, Hans and Caroline Erickson were remarried the other day by Superior Judge Thompson.

After the couple, each of whom is past sixty years of age, were divorced Hans came to California. He settled down in Pasadena. One by one their four grown children followed their father and made their home in the Crown City.

Three months ago the mother came to visit her children. The old love was rekindled and Erickson, she shyly told Judge Thompson, began a courtship. Then the happy pair sought the services of a magistrate to reunite them.

The bride was given away by Lew Head of Pasadena.

OLD ALASKA CUTTER JAMMED IN ICE NORTH OF UNALASKA

Exiles in North Will Wait in Vain for Yearly Visit.

Washington.—The venerable coast guard cutter, the Bear, has made its last journey to the Arctic. It is pinched in the ice somewhere 1,000 miles north of Unalaska, two propellers are broken, it has a score of dents in its side and headquarters has radioed order to give up, to return home from the fiftieth annual cruise into the Far North.

So "Healy's puk oomiak" will not take the mail and the messages from civilization to Point Barrow this year. The old vessel, named Healy's Fire Canoe by the natives when Captain Healy used to guide it into the northern waters, no more will brighten the lives of those lost from the world for a year at a time. It has been branded unsafe, unseaworthy, and when it gets back to the States, if it does, its last voyage will be ended.

It was on May 2 that the Bear, in command of Captain Cochran, steamed away from the Golden Gate. Its skipper bore the usual broad instructions "To aid all peoples, to assist commerce, to open lines of communication," and last, but one of its most important duties, "to carry the mail to every village not reached by the Bering sea patrol." The farthest north of these is Point Barrow.

Half a dozen times in June the Bear was caught in the ice. Men acquainted with the north, brawny and willing, freed it and it sought another means of egress, but July 5 found it facing "heaviest ice" and a day later it was held fast again.

Although Captain Cochran's last message indicated his belief that he would have little difficulty in returning as soon as ice conditions permit, Rear Admiral Billard, the commandant, and others at coast guard headquarters fear that the old boat may not emerge safely.

Congress was asked at its last session to appropriate money for a new craft to replace the Bear, but the bill got lost in the jam. Its sister ships, the Thetis and the Resolute, long ago were dismantled.

Watching Sky Writers From Above

This photograph of three expert aviators doing colored sky writing was taken from a plane flying at a speed of 135 miles an hour over Hazelhurst field, Long Island.

Frocks of Eyelet Embroidery; Adds Charm to the Costume

LOVELIER than the loveliest are the exquisite allover eyelet embroidery frocks which lend their colorful charm to the summer landscape. Small wonder is it that milady wavers between choice of an allover lace frock and one of eyelet embroidery.

Evidently stylists who create from this exquisite material are guided by the thought that "beauty unadorned is adorned the most." The exclusive elegance of the eyelet fabrics is all-sufficient, relying for its best display on the simplest designing. That is why the highly fashionable eyelet embroidery frock is nothing more or less than a one-piece slipon. Of course, it may have a few bandings of lingerie are failing to play up to the rules and by-laws of the fashion game. Oh yes, you might include in the above list one's under-the-arm envelope pocketbook, and even one's crepe de chine or fine batiste nightrobe is daintily monogrammed according to style decree.

Madame Mode insists that somewhere, somehow most costumes, especially of the sports-wear type, bear the stamp of her approval in the form of hand-worked or machine-stitched hieroglyphics which at least look like a monogram. Of course we all know that the camouflaged monogram is simply for decorative purposes; not even the learned scholar who translates inscriptions of past centuries can decipher the monogram motifs of the modern stylist. For all that, we have taken quite a fancy to these monogram effects, and they are playing a prominent part in the embellishment of our wearing apparel.

EYELET EMBROIDERY FROCK

crepe, as the model in the picture shows, but some are made without a vestige of trimming.

The beltless straight-line frock, the season's most fashionable type, by the way, is recommended to the home dressmaker who is calculating on buying as few yards as possible of handsome eyelet allover for "just one more" midsummer frock to add to her wardrobe.

One can purchase choice batiste allover done in black on white, or in pastels of green, orchid or blue on white. Also solid shades are obtainable and pure white is the standard-bearer of them all.

The last word in midsummer fashions is the knee-length tunic of eyelet embroidery, either white or ecru, worn over a black satin skirt or slip. The

Indicative of the monogram mode is the handsome frock pictured to the right, which displays a cleverly designed motif. Of course it "doesn't mean anything," none of them do, they simply "make believe" one's initials. However, they play a decorative part and that is the idea. This girlish frock of tan-colored flannel lays further claim to style in its binding of all edges with red leather matched to that used for the monogram.

As popular as the monogram idea is that of the watch fob ornament. That

TWO HANDSOME FROCKS

smartest tunics are beltless, and they incorporate inserts of pin-tucked net and filet lace.

Organdie embroidery in Italian cutwork design is a near relation to the better-known English eyelet, and it, too, is one of fashion's exclusive midsummer fabrics. Nine-inch borders to match this exquisite organdie Italian cutout are one of the inducements offered to milady fair to overspend her monthly allowance.

A picturesque lingerie touch is given to many a black or colorful satin in the way of a panel or apron effect of sheer eyelet batiste, lace-edged and possibly matched with deep cuffs and collar.

If your blouse, hat, scarf, parasol or bathing suit bears not an embroidered monogram motif, then you a fanciful silver watch fob dangling from the breast pocket of a conventional tailored coat should impart such an air of sophisticated style is really quite interesting to think about. Just how effective a touch the watch fob gives to a tailored ensemble, the picture herewith is proof. The best part of these fashionable fobs are that they are not necessarily expensive.

Not only as a costume accessory, but as a millinery trimming detail, the neatly beribboned watch fob has featured extensively this season. Many a tailored hat has, as its only note of trimming, a rhinestone-set silver watch fob suspended from a strap of grosgrain ribbon. Silver monogram slide buckles are also part of the millinery trimming program.

JULIA BOTTOMLEY.

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MORBID CURIOSITY RESULTS IN DEATH

Man Wanted to Experience Sensation of Hanging.

Budapest.—Because the owner of Somogy castle was seized by a morbid desire to experience the sensations of a man being hanged, he lost his life and his aged servant became his murderer.

One day Bela Marffy, a Hungarian junker, was found dead in his study, with a rope around his neck and two heavy weights tied to the end of the rope. The coroner's verdict was suicide, but the family, which knew Marffy to be intensely fond of life, declined to accept it.

Their suspicions rested upon the servant, who finally confessed he was in fact the murderer, though he thought had been further removed from his mind a few minutes before the act was committed.

Marffy, it developed, had read an account the day before of a boy who hanged himself. Curious to know how a man feels just before he is about to expire, he arranged that his servant was to stand near him while he tied a noose, at the end of which were two weights, about his neck. The servant was to lift up the weights, thereby relieving the pressure, at the moment it seemed to him that his master was about to expire unless relieved.

The servant declared that while he was awaiting this moment his eyes fell upon his master's purse on the table, filled with bills of high denomination. Instead of relieving Marffy the servant allowed him to die and then possessed himself of the money.

Three Children Wander in Park for Three Days

New York.—Charles Ahne, ten; his brother, Oscar, eleven, and his sister, Elizabeth, eight, are home again with their parents at 186 Lincoln avenue, the Bronx, after a three-day exploration of St. Mary's park. The park extends from One Hundred and Forty-second to One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, between St. Ann's and Convent avenues.

Instead of going to school, they set out in search of adventure. When they did not return their stepmother notified the police.

According to Charles they played with other boys and girls until dark. Some of their playmates had given them candy and crackers and when "supper time" arrived they decided to prolong their holiday.

They made a bed in an old shack. While the police were searching for them the youngsters romped along the park paths. Mothers of other children gave them crackers, candy and milk, they said, and that night they went back to the shack.

The third day, Charlie said, they saw their father looking for them and they hid behind some bushes. That night the storm drove them to seek shelter on a porch.

They arose wet and tired and dirty and decided that they had obtained all the adventure they wanted. They started for home. As they left the park a woman saw them and notified a policeman, who took them to the station, where their father claimed them.

Ring Torn Off Cyclone Victim in 1880 Found

Jacksonville, Ill.—A wedding ring which 44 years ago was snatched from the finger of its owner by some mysterious force of nature during a cyclone, was found recently in a field on the farm of C. E. Davis, eight miles southeast of this city. The ring belonged to Mrs. Jerry Cox, who was killed during a cyclone which visited that vicinity on May 9, 1880.

Mrs. Cox was killed near the site of the present home of the Davis family. When her body was found two rings which she always wore were found to be missing. One of these was the wedding ring found by Mr. Davis while cultivating corn in a field a half mile from the scene of the tragedy.

Gets Fine, but No Fish

Springfield, Vt.—Harold Comstock paid $60.20 for fishing in the village reservoir here recently when he appeared in court for violating the health laws. A novel feature of the case was that Comstock paid for the privilege of fishing and not for catching fish, for when arrested no fish were found in his possession.

Airedale Put to Sleep, Wakes With New Nose

Vancouver, B. C.—Bob, a particularly well-bred Airedale dog, owned by Tom Brown of Golden, B. C., has learned that beauty is more than skin deep.

Bob was in an encounter with a bulldog recently and lost the end of his aristocratic nose.

His owner feared that the unauthorized amputation would impair the value of his canine friend, so obtaining an ordinary Airedale without pedigree, he proceeded to the dog hospital.

The mongrel was given sufficient anesthetic to put him into the canine heaven and Bob woke up with a new nose.

Her Neighbor's Advice Helped Mrs. Frick

MRS. ADA FRICK
PERRYSBURG, OHIO

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Mrs. Frick Tells of Her Experience

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How wise must be one to be always kind.—Marie Ebner-Eschenbach.

Don't chuckle if you put over a substitute when an advertised product is called for. Maybe your customer will never come back.

Ben Mulford, Jr.

The bee and the serpent often sip from the selfsame flower.—Metastasio.

Did Seem Peculiar

Girl friend bought a slip-on, which, as cognoscenti know, is the filmy thing a lady gets into first. Then she went to a theater and lost the package. Called up the manager.

"Was anything found in Box A after the matinee?" she asked.

"Don't know," said the manager. "I'll inquire. What was it?"

Girl friend blushed unseen at the other end of the wire. Then she stammered:

"It—it was a slip-on."

"I'll ask," said the manager. "But how in the name of Mike did you manage to lose it?"—Atlanta Constitution.

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"My Lawd! Jake," he greeted him, "Wasn't you skeered to sleep in de graveyard all night?"

"Yas," admitted Jake. "But de ol' woman was on a rampage and the graveyard is de onliest place she's skeered to foller me."—Pathfinder Magazine.

Original

"Has Uppish any original ideas?"

"Yes; he thinks he's some punkins."—Boston Transcript.

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Elephant's Tusks

The tusks of the elephant are merely projections of the incisors of the upper jaw and are never shed, although they are sometimes broken off. In other words, the tusks are part of the elephant's teeth. However, the milk teeth, which precede the tusks, come out at an early age. The tusks of the elephant supply the ivory which is so highly esteemed the world over for ornamental purposes. Among the Indian or Asiatic elephants only the male has the tusks, but they are found on both the male and female of the African species.

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WHAT WILL THE ISSUE BE?

[Washington Correspondence.]

Since the reaction from the nerve racking brainstorm of the Democrats in Madison Square Garden, where after one hundred ballots and more of bitter contest, the question arises—what is to be the main issue of the campaign before the people?

The poor delegates have returned to their homes to bathe with arnica and witch hazel and reduce the swollen and blackened eyes to normal. The physical discomforts of the convention can soon be forgotten, but the mental pitch to which they worked themselves over Ku Klux, League of Nations, and page after page of other "isms" that have no interest to the country at large, has left a bad taste. It is said that politics makes strange bed fellows. It is true. Imagine the famous acrobat of the party, William Jennings Bryan, addressing the convention one day amid the jeers and hoots of those who one time worshipped him, proclaiming that he would never support Mr. Davis, and within the next twenty-four hours, making an address to the delegates that Mr. Davis was the man to lead the party. Why the back somersault?

Some years back when the Democratic convention was held in Baltimore and that grand old patriarch of Democracy, Champ Clark, was in the lead for the nomination, this same Mr. Bryan deserted the Chieftain with one of his famed stampede addresses and swung to Woodrow Wilson, thereby defeating the one man whom the masses of the party had longed to compliment with their votes.

The great Commoner tried once too often. He failed to make good in swinging the delegates from Governor Al Smith to Mr. McAdoo. The trick that defeated Champ Clark failed to work again. The McAdoo contingent arrived on the floor of the convention with the delegates sewed up tight, and prepared to battle their man across, by force if necessary. "Fight, fight, to the last," was the password. But alas, they forgot. They forgot that the great Madison Square Garden was not located "way down South" where they had been used to dictating their commands, but apparently was in the land of the Brennans, Macks, Taggarts, men who were never known to surrender under fire. The battle was on. Oh, shades of the mighty John L. (Sullivan) who had fisticuffed under the roof of the famous old sporting arena, did you not feel like a piker at a thoroughbred race track, looking down upon this great arena, on the Fourth of July, nineteen hundred and twenty-four?

A few preliminaries were staged for the entertainment of the guests in two and three round bouts, such as platform planks, while the champions were sponged and toweled for the big event. At the weighing in, it looked as if Mr McAdoo was a little overweight and the contest would be short. The delegates pictured themselves enroute home within a few hours on the return coupons of their transportation, with some expense money left over to be contributed to campaign funds.

In this guess Miss Democracy fell short. Her strong arm cohorts from the fields where the donkey always found his picking good, had miscalculated. The Brennans, Macks, Smiths, who always financed the party, did not propose to be swallowed up by the tail, and true to the legend of Saint Patrick, refused to be stampeded by the great Commoner who, when in his dying gasp, pleaded with them to throw the popular governor of New York and take up Mr. McAdoo.

After one hundred ballots, after the surgeons were exhausted from rendering aid to broken noses, after the failure of arnica, after the place was wrecked, a decision was reached. There is little doubt but what the best man was nominated for the head of the ticket. Mr. Davis has a good record; is an excellent attorney. His clients, it is alleged, are men of big business interests. But why hold this against him? Governor Al. Smith took a run down to Coney Island when the fight was at its best, and went in bathing. Thereafter he was accused of being the wet candidate!

Do you suppose that the spirit of Phineas Taylor Barnum looked down from on high at this picture in Madison Square Garden, where his "Greatest on Earth Shows" had entertained for weeks and then recalled how once he had glued wool over the hide of a jackass and exhibited him as a woolly horse? Maybe this is the same donkey that Barnum once used, and if so, the American people will be on the lookout for a woolly horse next November.

Barnum was right. The people are readily humbugged. Therefore, when the coming campaign is under way this recent performance with its nasty taste will be partly forgotten by the people. The Democratic party has been without a real live issue for some time. To offset this, slogans and catchy phrases are thrown in "He Kept Us Out of War," won an election, but within a period of several months after the inauguration we were in a world war the effect from which we have not yet fully recovered. The League of Nations, championed by the last candidate of Democracy, James M. Cox, was overwhelmingly defeated at the election four years ago. The same corpse was resurrected for this campaign and raised such a commotion that the platform threatened to collapse under its weight.

One of the strong issues is to be that the Republican party in Congress did nothing the past year. But how could they? Every legislative movement brought forth from committees for betterment of the country was immediately pounced upon by the Democratic minority, for fear a good piece of legislation might possibly revert to some advantage for the Republicans at the next election. By coalition with the independent, farm labor and LaFollette combinations, the Democrats were able to muster sufficient votes to defeat Republican measures that were offered to the people. A look into the record of the past Congress will see Democracy lined up to defeat and hinder, instead of to support and produce measures for the benefit of the country. The term "Reactionary" truly is not applicable to the Democrats. It is "No-actionary."

It appears now as though the leaders on the band wagon were casting for life buoys on the sinking ship. One of them, Senator Burton K. Wheeler, has made a desperate catapult and landed on the frontseat of the LaFollette wagon. Who will be next?

OVER THE COUNTY

A choir of boys and girls, all in their teen age, has been organized for the Reformed church at Centre Hall.

The third annual Lamey-Schrack family reunion will be held at the Tea Spring, seven miles east of Loganton, on Thursday, August 14th.

Odd Fellows and Rebekahs of Centre and Clinton Counties are planning an elaborate program for their picnic to be held at Hecla Park on September 1st, Labor Day. More than forty lodges will represented at the gathering, including Altoona and vicinity, Bellefonte, Pine Grove Mills, Spring Mills, Boalsburg, Centre Hall, Millheim, Rebersburg, State College, Jersey Shore, Renovo, Oak Grove, Salladasburg, Loganton, Glen Hope, Clearfield county, Osceola, Coalport, Allemans, Gross Run, Houtzdale, Ansonville, Winburne, Grassflat, Kylertown, Philipsburg, Lewistown, Milroy and other places.

Mrs. Bruce Gramley and children, Virginia, aged 13, and Billy, 2½ years old, were passengers on the steamer, "Boston," which was struck recently by an oil tanker while plying between Boston and New York. The one thousand or more passengers were transferred to life-boats and later picked up by the tanker which caused the collision, later being transferred to the "Priscilla," and conveyed to New York. Mrs. Gramley and children were on a life-boat for several hours. Her husband, who is a son of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Gramley, of Spring Mills, received a radiogram from her telling of the rescue, just about the time he was reading a newspaper account of the accident.

Rural delivery service on Route No. 1, out of Centre Hall, has been extended from McClellan's corner, above Tusseyville, to corner at Wesley Sharer's, a distance of 2.2 miles. The following patrons formerly served from the Linden Hall postoffice are thereby added to the route: John Wert, Edgar Rimmey, Claude Wert, Clyde Witmer on the Bottorf farm, Adam Smith on the Meyer, now Boal farm, George Markle, Wesley Sharer, Al. Klinefelter, and probably several others may take advantage of the change. To equalize routes, a portion of Route No. 1 was cut off and is now being served by carrier out of Spring Mills post office. The lopped off portion is that lying east of Reber's corner. The route, instead of going to the Thomas farm and return over the "gravel hill," leads from Reiber's corner by way of the Aaron Detweiler and Housman farms, and thence to Colyer.

The ladies of the Sewing Circle of the Sprucetown M. E. church will hold a festival on the factory lawn at Potters Mills on the evening of Saturday, Aug. 9th.

A large crowd is expected to be in attendance at the Reese family reunion and picnic at Hannah Furnace on Saturday, August 9th. There will be baseball and other sports. The Sandy Ridge band will furnish music.

A big outdoor event for Penns Valley will be a community picnic at Spring Mills, both day and evening, on Saturday, August 9th, under auspices of Camp No. 891, P. O. S. of A. The famous P. O. S. of A. band from Herndon will be in attendance.

W. R. Williams has been given the contract for an elaborate clubhouse to be erected on she Krise farm, in the Seven mountains, about four miles south of Potters Mills. The club membership is composed chiefly of Pittsburgh sportsmen. The building will be 24x40 feet, with the walls of rough mountain stone, and a large fire-place at one end. The organization has been named the "Stowe Rocks Club." G. R. Speer, of Pittsburgh, is president.

The Centre Hall "Reporter" publishes the following interesting item recalling days of long ago: Samuel Lawrey was one of an auto party from Strattonville, Clarion county, to stop in Centre Hall over night and renew acquaintances here of more than fifty years ago. He is related to the Shirks, his mother having been a sister of the late Joseph Shirk, of Potter township. More than fifty years ago Mr. Lawry passed through this place frequently, but not in a six-cylinder car. He was then a cattle dealer and the route over which he drove cattle to the eastern market was by the way of Centre Hall. It was not unusual then to see large droves of cattle pass through town, and these were headed by a man leading an ox and the extra clothing of one or more of the drovers neatly rolled and tied between the wide-spread horns of the gentle beast. And all the while the man sang out his "come, boss; come, boss." The Hoffer farms, from which the Centre Hall town plot was taken, were largely patronized by drovers as pasture lots for their herds, and this was counted detrimental to good crop production, as the method not only carried away fertility but compacted the soil. Mr. Lawry is a Civil war veteran, and although eighty-six years of age he is in fine physical condition and wears a beard reaching to the waist.

Ten Highest Producing Cows in Butterfat For July.

Owner	Breed	Age	Fresh	Milk	%Fat	Butterfat
Thos. Beaver	G. H.	7	July 2	1625	4.5	73.1
Peck Bros.	G. H.	8	May 11	1223	5 1	62 4
Peck Bros.	R. H.	7		1355	4 4	59.6
Thos. Beaver	G. H.	10	May 26	1336	3.8	50.7
Thos. Beaver	G. H.	4	April	1318	3.8	50 1
Thos. Beaver	G. H.	9	May 29	1612	3.1	50.
Geo. F. Rogers	G. H.	5	Mar. 29	1023	4 2	42.8
A. C. Hartle & Bro.	R. H.	4	June 1	1252	3.4	42 6
Fern Dunkle	G. H.	4	Mar. 21	983	4 3	42.3
Valentine Gamber	G. H.		June 20	1045	4.	41 8

W. R. BRACHBILL'S

August Sale of Furniture and Rugs

August 1st to August 17th

All Discounts Allowed From The Original Price Tags

20% Discount on matched Living Room and Dining Room Suites and Rugs. Discount on Bed Room Furniture, Baby Carriages, Beds and Springs, Reed Furniture, Table and floor Lamps, Porch Furniture, Refrigerators, Cedar Chests, etc.

Entire stock subject to the above discounts except Hoosier Kitchen Cabinets, Globe Wernicke Book Cases, Whittal, Masland, Congoleum and Kimlark Rugs.

No furnishings in this store are "SPECIAL SALE" goods purchased to sell at low prices as this firm has established a reputation for quality merchandise and cannot afford to sacrifice quality in order to lower prices.

"Quality is Remembered Long After Price is Forgotten"

SHOP—COMPARE—BE CONVINCED

W. R. BRACHBILL'S

Spring Street Bellefonte, Pa.

BOY LOCKED IN FREIGHT CAR

Was Near Nervous Collapse From Fright and Hunger.

A boy who was near nervous collapse, as the result of being penned in a box car for two days and two nights, was saved from starvation by E. H. Wayne, freight brakeman, of Sunbury, who found the frightened lad securely locked in a box car in the Enola yards.

A feeble rapping on the door of a box car attracted the attention of Brakeman Wayne while he was making up his train. Opening the door he found the lad kneeling at the door. He was taken to the cabin where he told his story.

He gave his name as James Wilson, 12 years old, and that he lived in Baltimore. With a number of other boys he had been playing near the railroad and to hide from his companions he crawled into a box car. A short time later a trainman, not noticing his presence, closed the door and locked it. His efforts to attract attention failed and a short time later the car was moved from the yard.

He screamed at the top of his voice but without avail. For two days and two nights he attempted to attract attention and it was not until the car was placed in the yards at Enola that his efforts succeeded.

Two Big Games at Altoona.

Altoona will be host to two major league baseball teams on Tuesday, Aug. 12, when the Cincinnati National league team, in charge of Manager Jake Hendricks and the Philadelphia Athletics, with Connie Mack in charge, will play an inter-league exhibition at the Cricket field ball park. Altoona staged a similar exhibition a year ago, the Athletics winning over the Pittsburgh Pirates, a crowd of 10,000 witnessing the game. The spacious Cricket field grounds, classed as the finest athletic field in this section o the state, has seating accommodations for 32,000 persons. The major league clubs, in stopping off in Altoona, will play with their regular lineups, with th regular battery men to be in the lineups. The game will give the fans of Blair, Cambria, Huntingdon, Centre, Bedford, Clearfield and adjoining counties the first chance to see the major leaguers in action in this section this season. Both teams have a number of newcomers who are attracting considerable attention in the major organizations this year.

The Altoona Booster association, composed of the city's leading business men, is cooperating with the Altoona Works A. A. in promoting the big baseball game and the largest crowd in years is expected to be welcomed in Altoona on Aug. 12. A general admission of $1 is charged with the ticket sale in charge of John E. Logue, Altoona Car Shops, Altoona, Pa.

NEWSY CHURCH NOTES

UNITED BRETHREN.

Sunday school, 9:30; morning worship, 10:30, subject, "A Shake too Late." C. E., 6:45. Evening service, 7:30, "When the Last Trump Sounds." Rev. Frank B Hackett, pastor.

Marriage Licenses.

Register Harry Rossman has issued the following marriage licenses:

Paul A. Smith, Elizabeth Beck,	Warriors Mark Port Matilda
Frank H. Brumbaugh, Violet Johnston,	Philipsburg "
Dorsey W. Koons, Ruth M. Stickler,	Bellefonte "
John David Burger, Kathryn Elizabeth Smith,	Philipsburg Lebanon
Walter Leach, Annamary Dean,	Mt. Union Williamsport

Boys Leave for Camp.

The Bellefonte contingent of boys who have signed up for the three weeks camp period at Camp Kanesatake, under the direction of S. S. Aplin, left on Tuesday, 14 strong. They are: Carl Heverly, David Locke, George Parker, Fred Kurtz, James Beaver, Allan Katz, Joseph Gingerr, Jacob Kofman, Philip McGovern, Richard Mabus, William Curtin, Jack Miller, Peter Meek and Arnold Kalin.

16 DAY SEASHORE EXCURSION

THURSDAY August 21

Asbury Park AND Ocean Grove Camp Meeting

$13.79 ROUND TRIP From Bellefonte

$14.46 via Lock Haven—$14.69 via Tyrone

Proportionate fares from other nearby points

Tickets good going on regular trains August 20 and returning on all regular trains, except limited trains, until September 5, inclusive. Stop off allowed at Philadelphia in both directions.

Pennsylvania Railroad System

THE STANDARD RAILROAD OF THE WORLD

DOLLAR DAY NEXT WEDNESDAY

ALTOONA BOOSTER STORES

Correspondence

Pine Grove Mills.

Miss Irene Pletcher spent Sunday with her parents at Howard.

Miss Ruth Miller was an over Sunday visitor with her girl friend, Eva Dale, on the Branch.

The Houser clan had a family reunion at Hairy John's park last Thursday. One of the main features was the sumptuous dinner served to everybody's taste and thoroughly enjoyed by all.

John Mattern is manipulating the wheel of a new Hudson coupe.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry L. Dale, of Bellefonte, and Frank McGirk and wife, of Altoona, were callers at the C. M. Dale heme on the Branch.

For the first time the stork halted at the home of Captain Charles E. Sohl, leaving him a little son last Thursday morning, which was promptly christened Charles E Jr.

J. Cal Markle of Tyrone, is visiting relatives in the valley, and in town.

W. S. Moore, cattle buyer, was here last week, but found cows scarce.

Wilson Henry is having his barn roofed with corrugated iron. Irvin & Fisher have the job.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Wagner and daughter Helen motored down from Altoona in their new Buick car to spend Sunday at the J. F. Kimport home.

Rev. and Mrs. J. M. Kirkpatrick are spending their vacation among former parishioners in the Buckeye State.

Rev. J. W. Wagner, wife and family departed Tuesday morning to spend their vacation at the Modoc camp among the matchless scenery of old Tussey mountain.

Mrs. G. B. McCormick is quite ill at the John Bowersox home at State College.

John Lyle, chief sawyer at a lumber camp in Blair County, was home over Sunday.

Mrs. Ella Holter, of Huntingdon, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James M Corl, at Baileyville.

W. E. McWilliams, veteran mail carrier, is nursing a badly scarred face, caused by a fall on the rocks. He is not as sure footed as he once was.

Mrs. J. E. Reed has been confined to bed the past week suffering a nervous breakdown of the system. At this writing she is slightly improved.

Rev. W. H. Walker and wife, of Bellwood, spent Thursday among relatives in town, mostly with her father, A. S. Walker, on East Main St.

Farmer and dairyman C. M. Dale had a close call for his life while hauling in wheat Thursday. The load upset, burying him under it. Fortunately a number of workmen saw his mishap and rescued him from his perilous position. His face and head were badly bruised and his glasses were smashed to pieces.

Boalsburg.

Miss Eleanor Coxey, of Altoona, is visiting at the J. G. Ishler home.

Miss Dolly May Felty, of Altoona, is visiting friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Emery Gettig and children, of Altoona, were recent visitors at the G. E. Meyer home here.

Mrs. Ellen Calvert, of Altoona, and her granddaughter are visiting at the home of Misses Mary Reish and Nora Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Stuart and daughter returned to their home at Crafton on Tuesday. They were accompanied by Mrs. O. Mothersbaugh and Elizabeth Mothersbaugh.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Brown, of Bellefonte, and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Moore, of Philadelphia, spent Wednesday at the Charles Segner home.

Rev. and Mrs. John Harkins and sons, of State College, were over-Sunday visitors at the Rev. W. J. Wagner home.

Mrs. Harry Kuhn and daughter, of Williamsport, are visiting at the G. W. Rowe home.

Theodore Segner spent part of last week in Pittsburgh.

Miss Anna Dale is visiting with friends and relatives here.

There will be services in the Reformed church Sunday morning, Aug. 10.

John Goheen, of Rock Springs, was a recent visitor here with his brother, William.

Guy Wieland, Boyd Wieland and Misses Dorothy and Charlotte Wieland, of Palmyra, and Misses R. C. Byle, of Lebanon, visited their sister, Mrs. W. J. Klinger, over the week-end. They attended the funeral of their grandmother, Mrs. Kennedy, at Alexandria, on Saturday.

Mrs. Edmund Grove Dead.

Mrs. Margaret Bauer Grove, wife of Edmund Grove, died last Thursday moring while enroute to the Butler hospital. She had been operated on there a short time previous to her death and was thought to be recovering, when complications set in, and it was while she was being rushed back to the hospital that death claimed her. The young woman was born in Bellefonte, November 29, 1898, and was a daughter of Vincent and R. Ellen Bauer. She graduated from the Bellefonte High School, in the class of 1918, and shortly afterward was married and left town in company with her husband who is employed by the State State Highway Department. She is survived by her father, of Greer, W. Va., also by her husband and two children, Betty and Ann. The remains were brought to Bellefonte last Friday to the home of the husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Grove, on Bishop St. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Ard on Saturday and interment made in the Shiloh cemetery.

Mrs. Agnes McCulley Dead.

Mrs. Agnes McCulley, widow of J. T. McCulley, died at her home on Bishop Street on Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock, from complications arising from her advanced age of 88 years. Deceased was born in Bellefonte, a daughter of Dennis and Myra McCafferty, and in all her life had never lived any place but on Bishop Street, having been born in a house which stood on the corner opposite the Keystone Filling station. She was twice married, her first husband having been Colonel John A. Bayard, and who preceded her in death 61 years ago. Her second husband was James T. McCulley, who has been dead 23 years. She is survived by one child by her first marriage, Mrs. Ella B. Spangler, of New York City, and by four children to her second husband. They are: James A., Joseph B., Frederick, and Marion, all of Bellefonte. Funeral services will be conducted at the Catholic church, on Friday morning, and interment made in the Catholic cemetery.

J. Edward Smith Dead.

J. Edward Smith, aged 62 years, died at his home at Beech Creek Monday evening after an illness of a year or more of an internal cancer. He was a son of the late Vincent and Mary Smith, old time residents of Beech Creek. He was a member of the Church of Christ at Blanchard for many years. He is survived by his wife and three children: William I., at home; Nellie, wife of Dan Harmon, of Williamsport, and Mary, wife of Luther Gardner, of Beech Creek; also by two brothers, Frank and William Smith, of Mansfield, O., and one sister, Mrs. D. M. Longshore, of Kane. The funeral was held Wednesday afternoon. Interment in the Christian cemetery at Blanchard.

Miss Ellen Stohler Dead.

Miss Ellen Stohler, aged 72 years, died early Monday morning at the home of her sister, Mrs. John C. Eaton, at Blanchard, with whom she had for years made her home. Death followed a severe stroke of paralysis sustained about six weeks ago. She was a member of the Beech Creek Presbyterian church. Funeral services were held at the Eaton residence Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, in charge of Rev. Louis V. Barber, pastor of the Presbyterian church. Interment in the Baptist cemetery, Blanchard.

Mrs. Lottie Hosterman Dead.

Mrs. Lottie Hosterman, wife of Warren Hosterman, of Aaronsburg, died at her home very suddenly on Tuesday morning, of congestion of the lungs. She was born at Aaronsburg, a daughter of George and Oleta Keister, her mother surviving. In addition to her husband, one son by a former marriage, Hyle Wolfe, one brother, Frank Keister, and one sister, Mrs. Ammon Bower survive. Interment will be made in the Lutheran cemetery at Aaronsburg on Friday afternoon.

Alfred Osman Dead.

Word was received in Centre Hall on Monday of the death of Alfred Osman, formerly of that place, who had been ill in the State hospital at Danville for some years. The body was removed to Centre Hall for interment on Thursday. Deceased was 60 years old and is survived by no close relatives.

Mrs. Charlotte Bloom Dead.

Mrs. Charlotte Bloom, of State College, died on Sunday morning at the home of her son, Joseph, with whom she had resided. She was in her 78th year. Funeral services were held on Tuesday afternoon; interment at Osceola Mills.

BRICK PLANT OPENED

New Harbison-Walker Operation at Monument Started Monday.

After more than a year of idleness, the improved brick plant of the Harbison-Walker Refractories Co. at Monument, resumed operations last Monday, About 40 workmen are employed for the present, although this number will be gradually increased to full force of 125.

The Monument plant has been idle since June 15, 1923, when it was closed in order to start the extensive construction program, which has finally been carried to completion. Old buildings were razed and much of the material used in the construction of new ones. New machinery of the most modern and labor saving pattern has been installed, and everything done to make it one of the best equipped of any of the company's 27 plants.

A capacity production of 40,000 bricks a day is possible in the new plant, and officials of the company are confident that in a few months business conditions will be so improved that it will be possible to operate at full capacity.

Eleven new tenement houses have been erected nearby the plant for the use of the employes, which brings the total number of company-owned houses up to 75. The work of construction is not yet finished, and men will be employed in painting and finishing work even after the plant is in full operation.

HUNTING TAGS READY

Licenses for 1924 Received by County Treasurer Heverly.

County Treasurer J. O. Heverly has received the first allotment of 250 hunters' tags and licenses for 1924. By the time the end of the present supply is reached more licenses and tags will be received from the state game commission.

Naturalized citizens must show their papers before the treasurer can issue a license to them. The fee for each license is $1.25, with postage where the same is to be mailed. The fee for hunters not residing in the state is $15.

The license tags this year are made of aluminum, with raised black letters. A hole is in each corner of the tag to permit it to be fastened to the hunter's clothing. The new metal tag is not regarded with much favor by some hunters here, who point out that it is more likely to catch on brush and limbs of trees than the cloth tags, which are sewed on the clothing.

Mrs. Elizabeth Winklebleck Dead.

Mrs. Elizabeth Winklebleck, 82 years old, died on Monday at the home of her son Seymour, of Aaronsburg, of complications arising from her advanced age. Deceased was a daughter of Henry and Sarah Fiedler and was born in Haines Twp. She is survived by three children, Seymour, Cleve and Mrs. Frank Keister, and two sisters, Mrs. Jonathan Krape and Mrs. Jacob Feidler. Funeral services were held this (Thursday) morning and interment made in the Millheim cemetery.

James Vonada Dead.

James Vonada, of Woodward, died very suddenly at his home on Tuesday morning from an attack of heart failure. Deceased was born near Woodward and was aged 67 years. He is survived by his wife and one married daughter. Funeral services will be held on Saturday morning and interment made in the Woodland cemetery.

Jumped Board Bill.

On Tuesday of this week Chief Dukeman arrested one Roy Dugan, wanted by the authorities in Altoona for evading payment of a board bill. He was arraigned before 'Squire Woodring on Wednesday afternoon and remitted to jail upon his failure to secure $300 bail.

Penny-A-Word Column

FOXES—bought. Young foxes wanted. Toner A. Hugg. Milesburg, Pa.

FOR RENT—Two finely furnished rooms for men at the Y. M. C. A.

FOR SALE—One good dwellinghouse in first class shape in Milesburg. T. A. Hugg.

FOR SALE—Good Safe; $25. Cost $100. E. I. Gillen, 122 East Bishop St., Bellefonte, Pa.

FOR SALE—Farms, town property ready cut houses and silos. You will save money. See McVey Co., Bellefonte, Pa. tf.

HOUSE FOR SALE—2 story frame house; all conveniences; on East Lamb street. Cheap. Inquire Silk Mill, Bellefonte.

MAKE MONEY—During spare time taking orders for name cards, 20% commission. Write The U. S. Card Company, 340 E. Princess St. York, Pa. 1-t

WANTED—Man with car to sell complete line low priced Tires and Tubes. $100.00 per week and expenses. Sterlingworth Tire Co., 3765 Sterling, E. Liverpool, Ohio.

WANTED—An able-bodied man to take care and drive team, married man preferred. Call at at the Center County Fuel & Building Supply Co. Bellefonte Pa. Both Phones, Bell 319. 16-tfc

LADIES WORK AT HOME—Pleasant, easy sewing on your machine. Whole or part time. Highest possible prices paid. For full information address L. Jones, Box 2, Olney, Ill.

LUMBERMAN wanted to cut, stock, saw and load (either or all) 400,000 ft. lumber with mine material, on 75 acre tract on J. M. Brockerhoff and Prof. Gardner farms in Buffalo Run between Fillmore and Briarly, Patton Twp., Centre Co. R. A. Smith, Tyrone, Pa.

WANTED—Persons who are planning for any building to come in contact with the Undersigned to save money on Cement, Sand, Limestone, Plaster, Brick, Roofing, Terra Cotta Pipe, Nails, Stucco Materials, Etc. See us first or you may regret it later. Center County Fuel & Building Supply Co. Bellefonte Pa. Both Phones, Bell 319. 16-tfc

WANTED—High-grade business men with following in their community capable of being district representatives for securities (no stocks) sold on new and unusual plan. Principal and interest guaranteed. Provides means for establishing estates and permanent income from savings. Address P. O. Box 858, Harrisburg, Penna.

FOR SALE—Brick house on East High Street, opposite Court House; residence of late Dr. E. S. Dorworth. Parlor, living room, dining-room, kitchen and pantry on first floor. Four sleeping rooms bath and sleeping porch on second floor. Large sleeping room on third floor. Can give possession May 1st. Inquire, Chas. E. Dorworth.

$500 For 50 Words.

First prize for letter suggesting the best way to use the cleanest, purest, most economical Toilet Soap. Forty-two other cash prizes, making a total of $1,500 in gold to tell the merits of Sheffield's Satinet Soap for soft skin. $100 for the best advertising slogan. This is your opportunity to get money for business, or pleasure, an education or free yourself of debt. Some one will win this cash. Why not you? Send stamp for full information and rules. Sheffield Laboratories, Aurora, Illinois. (Dept. 24)

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

In the matter of the estate of Mary McKinney late of Burnside Twp., deceased.

Letters of administration having been granted Newell B. Long, of Snow Shoe Boro, all persons owing to the said decedent are required to make payment, and those having claims against the said estate are requested to present the same duly proven to

NEWELL B. LONG, Admr.
JAMES C. FURST, Atty. for Admr.
Bellefonte, Pa. 26-6t

LEGAL NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the First and Final Account of Anna M. Detwiler, guardian of John H. Detwiler, a weak-minded person, No. 155 September Term. 1923, Court of Common Pleas of Centre County, Pa., will be presented to said Court on Wednesday, September 24, 1924, and unless exceptions are filed on or before Monday, September, 22, 1924, the same will be confirmed.

Roy Wilkinson,
Prothonotary.

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NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that there has been appraised and set apart to Lela A. Cole surviving spouse of Nevin E. Cole, late of Bellefonte Borough deceased, real estate in said Borough valued and appraised at $875.00, being the entire estate of said decedent, under the surviving spouse's claim under Section Two of the Interstate Act of Assembly of Pennsylvania bearing date the 7th day of June, A. D. 1917, P. L. 429 allowing five thousand ($5,000.00) Dollars. The above appraisement has been confirmed ni. si. by the Court and publication ordered for a period of thirty days and if no exceptions are filed thereto within thirty days the same will be confirmed absolutely by the Court.

HARRY A. ROSSMAN,
Register & C. O. C.

NOTICE.

In the Court of Common Pleas of Centre County.

No. 96 September Term, 1924.

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the above Court on Friday, August 8th, 1924, at 10 A. M. under the Act of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled "An Act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and the supplements thereto for the charter of an intended corporation to be called Theta Association of Phi Epsilon Pi Fraternity, the character and object of which is receiving and holding property, real and personal, of and for an unincorporated educational society known and designated as the Theta Chapter of The Phi Epsilon Pi Fraternity and executing trusts thereof and providing a home for the members of the said Theta Chapter of the Phi Epsilon Pi Fraternity and further, to execute any valid encumbrance or lien against said real estate for the purpose of financing the purchase of such real estate and further, to do any and all things to aid and benefit the said Theta Chapter of The Phi Epsilon Pi and the individual members thereof, and further, the transaction of all such business as is necessary and incidental thereto, and for these purposes to have and possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of the said Act of Assembly and its supplements.

The proposed charter is now on file in the Prothonotary's Office.

JOHN G. LOVE,
Solicitor.

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THE HEALTHY HABIT

DR. LOUIS PASTEUR, the microbe sleuth, took his first cue from wise old gardeners who found, long before the pathologists's lens revealed their existence, that one of the surest preventatives against germs is tobacco juice.

Chew and stay healthy. Protect teeth and digestion. Fortify your system against throat and nose trouble.

BEECH-NUT Chewing Tobacco is the perfect form in which tobacco should be used.

Just prime, full-ripe, waxy, whole leaves with all the stems removed, free from dust and fragments, cut just to the right size and untouched by human hands through every stage of preparation until the air-tight, dust-proof package is sealed.

A rich, mellow chew of undeviating quality and quantity—the most liberal friend 10c. ever had.

Over 250 million packages sold in a single year.

P. Lorillard Company
INCORPORATED

"The Government Should Control Public Money."

Says a paragraph in the platform of the radical third party.

There is no Such Thing as Public Money

Every dollar the government has was taken from the people in the way of taxes, or by borrowing, and it spends the revenue thus received as fast as it gets it.

Governments cannot make money. Time and again, all through history, nations have tried the experiment. Germany recently tried it, Russia tried it and their so called money proved worthless.

By public money is doubtless meant the deposits of the Federal Reserve Banks. But every dollar of this money belongs to the people. The government does not own, nor can it take one dollar of their resources.

They belong to the banks that are members of the Federal Reserve System and the banks owe it to their millions of depositors. You are probably one of these depositors.

Get it clearly in mind that the immense resources of this great country are owned by individuals, that what we call government is designed for the protection of society, and not to do business either by making so called money or running railroads or any other form of enterprise.

The less government interferes with business the more we prosper.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK
BELLEFONTE, PA.

A. E. SCHAD

PLUMBING

Bellefonte, Pennsylvania

Dear Sir:

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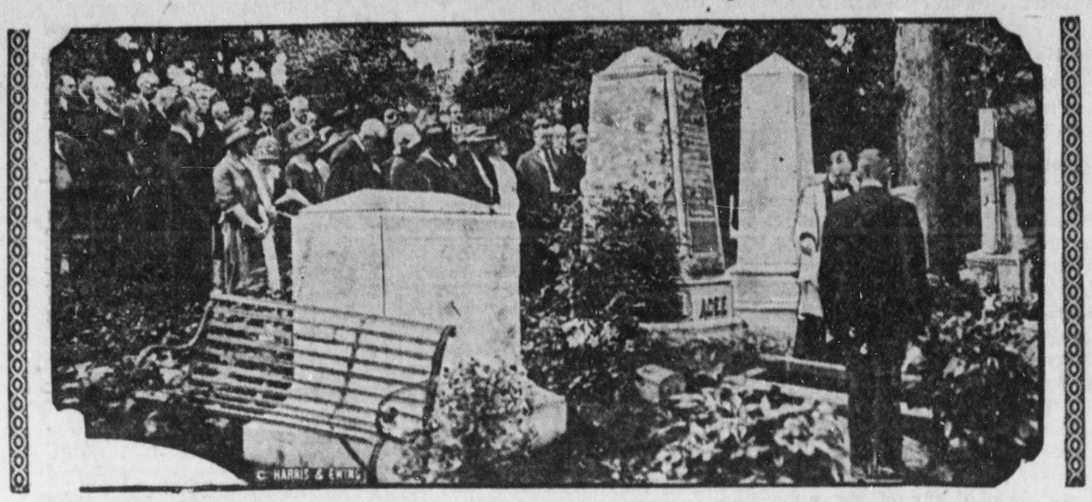
Burial of Assistant Secretary Adee



Scene at the burial of Alvin A. Adee, second assistant secretary of state. Secretary Hughes and many foreign diplomats attended the services. Mr. Adee was made assistant secretary in 1886 and was eighty-one years of age.

$1,600,000 for Forest Highways

To Be Spent Within National Parks of Seven Western States.

Washington.—Nearly $1,600,000 has just been allotted by the forest service, Department of Agriculture, for the construction of highways within or adjacent to the national forests of seven states in the Far West: Idaho, Montana, Arizona, Colorado, Utah, Nevada and New Mexico. The largest state appropriation for this work is $413,000 for Idaho, Montana comes second with an allowance of $375,000. Arizona receives $293,000 and Colorado $247,000.

In Idaho, six miles in the Lolo pass section of the Selway forest will be built at a cost of $100,000. For improving nearly seven miles of highway along the Northern Pacific road in the Coeur d'Alene forest $45,000 has been allotted, with $5,000 additional offered by the state. This road is a link in the Yellowstone trail. For the extension of the Ketchum-Clayton road to the town of Ketchum, a distance of about seven miles, $50,000 has been set aside.

One of the important projects involves the construction of three and a half miles along the Elk City highway within the Nez Perce national forest, for which $75,000 has been allotted. This road is expected to be especially beneficial to the mining community around Elk City, as well as highly desirable for the better protection of the Nez Perce forest.

The North Fork-Payette highway, within the Payette national forest, will be extended from Gardena to Horseshoe Bend, a distance of about five miles, at an estimated cost of $97,000. In the Caribou national forest an addition of five miles to the Freedom-Soda Springs road will be made at a cost of $16,000.

Improvements in Montana.

In Montana about thirty-six miles of road will be constructed or improved, most of which is important from the tourist and scenic standpoint. One project is the building of thirteen miles of the Tarkio flat section of the Yellowstone trail, adjacent to the Lolo national forest, to cost $60,000.

For continuing work on the Belton-Java road and extending four miles from its present terminus to Garry, $100,000 has been set aside. The road serves the Flathead national forest. In the Gallatin national forest grading will be done on about six miles on the southern end of the West Gallatin road leading to the boundary of the Yellowstone national park.

Another project will be the improving of over three miles of the Yellowstone Canyon highway leading through Absaroka national forest to the northern entrance of the Yellowstone national park. The sum of $70,000 has been allotted. When completed it will eliminate three bad hills and several grade crossings.

The largest project in Arizona will be the construction of 23 miles between Flagstaff and the east boundary of the Coconinoe national forest. The road forms an important link in the state highway system.

The sum of $30,000 has been allotted to build eight miles along the Grand Canyon highway within the Kaibab national forest, beginning at the town of Fredonia. Another item is for $81,228 to complete eighteen miles of the Prescott-White Spar road in the Prescott national forest. Another important work involves the completion of 86 miles in the Clifton-Springerville section of the Apache national forest, for which $73,000 has been allotted.

Highway Work in Colorado.

In Colorado, $575,000 has been allotted for widening the Durango-Silverton highway within the San Juan national forest. It is part of the state highway system. The improvements will be made in the Molas Lake, Lime Creek and Cascade sections. The most expensive road work on the Independence Pass highway will be undertaken by the construction of about two miles of road beginning at the east end of the Weller grade section, in which $50,000 has been allotted and an additional $8,000 is expected from state funds.

Within the Pike and Leadville forests four miles of standard 18-foot road will be built at an estimated cost of $67,000. For five miles of 12-foot roadway in the Douglas forest area the sum of $55,000 has been allotted.

For the improvement of 36 miles of forest roads in New Mexico $160,000 has been allotted. One project calls for $20,000 to be spent in completing the highway from Canoncito to Pecos, a distance of slightly over 11 miles, which serves the Santa Fe national forest. In the Carson national forest 18 miles of road will be placed in satisfactory shape to meet present traffic demands at a cost of $60,000.

Between Culebra hill and Pajarito canyon, a distance of about seven miles, the road will be rebuilt at a cost of $80,000. This road will make the Frijoles canyon, one of the principal features of the Bandelier national monument, accessible over the new bridge at San Ildefonso. The new route will eliminate Buckman hill and Buckman bridge, both of which are in poor condition. It is within the Santa Fe national forest.

In Dixie Forest.

In Utah, where $95,000 will be spent, the chief project involves twenty-eight miles in the Dixie national forest between Cedar City and Duck Lake, in Iron county, and several miles in Kane county. Nearly eleven miles will be built in the Fillmore forest, and a bridge will be constructed over the Provo river in the Uinta and Wasatch forests.

More than $44,000 will be spent in Nevada, one project amounting to $30,000 for four miles along the Austin-West road in the Toiyabe national forest. This project links up with the construction of six miles of the road authorized a year ago, and $8,000 will be used in surveying twelve miles along the Ely-Tonopah highway.

The sum of $118,000 has been appropriated to improve seven miles of highways in the Tongass national forest of Alaska and for surfacing four miles from Sitka to Indian Creek the sum of $23,000 has been set aside. The territorial road commission will also contribute $2,000.

The sum of $95,000 has been allotted for the construction of two and a half miles of highway from a point near Skagway to a connection with the Blackett road. This road will be important from a scenic standpoint, especially if it be extended to the international boundary.

For improvements in the Minnesota national forest, $17,000 will be expended in surfacing the Deer River road with gravel throughout its length of nineteen miles and a bridge will be built across the Cut Foot-Sioux river. An additional $23,000 will be furnished by state authorities. To construct fifteen miles of the Ely-Finland highway from the Lake county line to Isabelle Post Office $18,000 has been approved.

Scots Balk at Fee to See Scone Stone

London.—Scotsmen, through one of their members in parliament, are kicking because they, among others, must pay sixpence when visiting Westminster abbey to view the Stone of Scone, which forms the seat of the coronation chair. According to legend, this stone was Jacob's pillow at Bethel, and in the year 840 it was taken to Scone, in Scotland, from Tara, home of the Irish kings. All the Scottish kings were crowned on it until 1296, when Edward the First of England had it brought to Westminster, where all the British sovereigns have since been crowned.

The Scotsmen admit that, in viewing the stone, one gets a lot of history for a "saxpence." Nevertheless, they want parliament to prevail upon the Westminster clergy to permit the public to view the "Stone of Destiny" for nothing, or send it home to Scotland, where it belongs.

The English argument is that in England the stone is in its proper setting, inasmuch as it seems to be fulfilling the old prophecy that, where the Stone of Scone rests, there the Scottish race shall rule.

Kills Eagle With a Six-Foot Spread

Savannah, Ga.—Grouped around a large eagle that was brought to Savannah by B. Shuman, who killed it near his home at the Montgomery crossroads, about six miles from Savannah, a neat display has been made in a show window.

The bird, which measures about six feet from tip to tip with wings outstretched, occupies the entire width of the window. At his feet is draped the American flag, on which he stands, and in connection with this, dollar bills with the real American eagle stamped thereon are pasted on the window. Also other bills are to be seen bearing the picture of George Washington, father of the country of which the eagle is emblematic.

The fact that the eagle was killed in this vicinity is considered as unusual, as is the window display. Mr. Shuman, who lives at Lanier's Park and Poultry farm, was at first frightened when the big dark bird appeared in the sky over his porch. And about 1,000 chickens nearby were even more frightened.

Shuman killed him with one shot from a considerable distance. From the size of the eagle's claws and bill he looks fully capable of capturing and flying away with a good-sized pig.

Sao Paulo, City of Modern Ideas

Prosperous and Beautiful Capital of Richest of Brazil's 20 States.

Washington.—Sao Paulo, Brazil, scene of a rebel uprising, is the source of the morning aroma from millions of steaming coffee cups all over the world, remarks a bulletin from the Washington headquarters of the National Geographic society.

"Sao Paulo, the city, is the prosperous and beautiful capital of the richest of Brazil's 20 states. The city has half a million people. The state of Sao Paulo is larger than all New England and Pennsylvania combined. It comprises only one-thirty-second part of Brazil's vast area, but contains one-eighth of the country's population.

"To the visitor it seems as if the state had two major products, coffee and—statistics! Its aggregate acreage of coffee trees exceeds the combined areas of Delaware and Rhode Island. There are more than seven coffee trees in the state for every man, woman and child in the United States. At 30 cents a pound, the world pays Sao Paulo about $340,000,000 annually for her 1,135,000,000 pounds of coffee produced. As a specialized wholesale grocery her coffee business is only to be compared with Cuba's sugar crop.

"Geography, religion and romance are strangely blended in Sao Paulo's coffee. Solomon, for all his wisdom, overlooked a potential source of great wealth, for coffee is generally believed to have originated in Abyssinia, where Solomon's descendants reign to this day. It was not introduced into Brazil until 1723.

"A Portuguese sailor was the Captain John Smith of Sao Paulo. He married the South American Pocahontas, daughter of the chieftain Tibirica. That was about 1500. Then came Jesuit missionaries, who are accredited founders of the state, and when they celebrated their first mass on the anniversary of the conversion of St. Paul they named the country for that apostle.

Corn and Potato Move North.

"Curiously enough, coffee rules in Brazil, while two indigenous South American crops, corn and the 'Irish' potato, are mainstays in North America.

"Sao Paulo, the city, is purposefully modern, so much so that some of the social and engineering projects were put into effect there while they were still 'paper programs' in North America.

"For years now, when a new schoolhouse is built in Sao Paulo, the school physicians have passed upon the lighting, the kinds of seats to be used and other hygienic details. Indeed, they must even approve the type and its spacing in textbooks before they are adopted!

"An unusual sight of the city is the snake farm. The snakehouses, looking like beehives, cover a large tract. The snakes are the sources of serum used to treat sufferers from the bites of rattlesnakes, the deadly jaracas, and other venomous reptiles.

"The railroad from Sao Paulo to Santos, the world's foremost coffee port, is famous among engineers the world over. There is a drop of 2,600 feet in seven miles over one section. Steel cables, stationary engines and especially-equipped locomotives are required for the 35-mile run between the two cities. There are 13 tunnels, but the trains emerge from each to disclose some surprising new panorama of wooded mountain, valley of banana or coffee trees, torrential stream or gorge of dizzy depth.

"The road is said to be one of the best-paying in the world. Since the dividends are limited by law, its earnings have gone into sumptuous stations, fine rolling stock and perfected equipment until one visitor remarked that all remaining to be done was the gilding of the tops of the telegraph poles.

"The steep railroad climb from Santos to Sao Paulo gives a hint to the peculiar geography of the state. For nearly 400 miles along its coast is a low belt, narrow in the north and widening to about eighty miles in the south. Here the weather is hot and moist and the crops are bananas, coconuts, vanilla beans and cacao. This lowland is marked by a line of hills, back of which is an undulating plateau, cooler and dryer, where the coffee finds ideal growing conditions.

"Sao Paulo is notable for its varied architectures, ranging from chalet types, Moorish palaces and buildings of the French Renaissance period to modern office structures. Its outlying streets are as plenteously planted with trees and as well interspersed with flower-planted parks as Washington, D. C.

"The port of Santos is given over principally to shipping, but lacks the squalor of many older ports. It has a beautiful beach, where the sand is packed so hard that automobiles may drive to the water's edge.

"The city has a remarkable theater, with a telescopic roof. By means of an electric mechanism this roof may be removed in ten minutes and the building converted into an open-air auditorium. The orchestra chairs are removable, so that shortly after the curtain falls a ballroom is available for dancing."

MR. HO COLLECTS WIVES

This is Mr. Ho Kom Tong, a very wealthy resident of Hongkong, China, photographed as he was about to sail from New York for Europe. Aside from his wealth, or perhaps because of it, he is distinguished as the possessor of 29 wives. He left them all at home, however.

Fix War Cost at 80 Billions Gold

Three Times Cost of United States Government From 1791 to 1913.

New York.—The cost of the World war was $80,680,000,000 gold, according to calculations made by the Bankers Trust company, in which all expenditures were reduced to a gold basis. Figured in the currencies of all the belligerent nations—currencies affected in varying degrees by inflation caused by the issuance of paper money and expanded bank credits in financing the war—the cost converted into dollars at par of the various currencies was $208,600,000,000.

"To arrive at a uniform basis of statement, we have divided the figures of each nation for each year of the war by the wholesale price index number of that nation," says the Bankers Trust. "Thus we have obtained a statement for each nation in terms of 1913 prices. The sum of these figures, $80,680,000,000, may be called the gold cost of the war."

The Bankers Trust company has just published a book covering the financing of the war, to which it has given the title of "Inter-Ally Debts." What $80,680,000,000 gold really means is suggested by comparing the valuation of $20,000,000,000, roughly, put on all the railroads of the United States.

Eighty billion dollars would reproduce all of the railway mileage of the world and there would still be over $20,000,000,000 to spare for some other use—enough to build and equip another railway system as great as that of the United States.

In 1914 English economists estimated the wealth of the people of Great Britain to be about $70,000,000,000. All of the property of every kind in England, Wales, Scotland and Ireland, the railways, the docks, the shipping traversing every sea, the entire navy, the great factories, the coal, tin and iron mines, in short, all tangible property of every sort and kind, is represented by this $70,000,000,000, and yet the war cost $10,000,000,000 more than this, and $10,000,000,000 is equivalent to the entire tangible wealth of Australia and New Zealand.

Another comparison—the prewar combined wealth of France and Italy was just under $80,000,000,000. The war caused the unprofitable consumption of goods of a value in gold equivalent to all of the property of every kind of these two great nations of nearly 80,000,000 people; an amount equivalent to the accumulations of centuries wasted in four and one-half years of strife.

It is hard to realize, but it is a fact, that $80,000,000,000 is 60 per cent more than the total cost of government in Great Britain for the two and a quarter centuries which elapsed from the Revolution of 1688 to the beginning of the great war. It cost to meet the expenses of Great Britain for two and a quarter centuries, in round figures $53,000,000,000.

Other Big Wars.

During this long period of 226 years there were eight major wars, fought at great expense—expense so great that the thinking people of the times were appalled thereby. There were the Wars of William III, costing around $150,000,000; the Wars of Anne, costing over $250,000,000. The Spanish Right of Search war and the War of the Austrian Succession piled up another $200,000,000 or more. The Seven Years' war cost over $350,000,000. Then came the American war, costing over $500,000,000, and finally the Great French wars, lasting from 1792 to 1815, costing around $6,000,000,000. Later on, in the '50s, the Crimean war cost some $350,000,000 and finally the Boer war, which lasted from 1899 to 1903, cost nearly $1,500,000,000. Besides these major wars there were many costly military expeditions, the growing cost of civil government and the ever-present burden of the public debt, and yet this total expenditure of this long period was only about five-eighths of the gold cost of the great war.

Coming home for a final comparison, we find that the expenses of the United States government from its foundation in 1791 through the year 1918, a period of a century and a quarter, were $24,500,000,000—less than one-third of the gold cost of the great war, and yet, during this long period, we fought England in 1812, Mexico in the '40s, the very destructive Civil war in the '60s, also at various times many Indian campaigns, to say nothing of the Spanish war in the '90s.

The expenses of civil government were steadily growing. Our pension roll called for heavy expenditures. To the current expenses of government we could add the Louisiana Purchase, the acquisition of Alaska, the purchase of the Virgin Islands, what we paid Spain for the Philippines and the cost of constructing the Panama canal and even then the figure would be far under a third of the total gold cost of the great war.

OLD UNITED STATES CLOTHES WORN BY SOUTH SEA ROYALTY

Apparel Given to King and Queen by American Worn on State Occasions.

Port Angeles, Wash.—A South Sea island king and his consort still "strut" in some ancient garments an American navigator gave them 23 years ago. As the clothes are worn only on state occasions they are certain to last another quarter century.

In 1901, Capt. and Mrs. Harry Thompson were married and set sail for a trading trip to the Palmerstone islands in the South Pacific ocean, 2,000 miles from Sydney, N. S. W. Following a period of serious drought the 13 islets of the group faced a food shortage at the time when Captain Thompson hove to. The schooner was met by a sampan bearing the king and queen, both begging pitifully for food and gifts of clothing. The royal stomachs were promptly filled, then the task of draping the weather-beaten shoulders of the honor guests.

Long anxious to gain the confidence of these rulers, Captain Thompson took the black, single-breasted coat, the wedding habit of the mariner, while Mrs. Thompson parted with her gray crepe gown bedecked with silvery spangles and passed them on to the royalty.

For 20 years the Thompsons enjoyed prosperous trading with the islands and almost from the day they befriended the king the islands began to recover from the dry spells of several years.

Now there is a gigantic business with many countries for the Palmerstones produce every tropical fruit, pearls, coffee, tea, spices and coral.

Recently the Thompsons, now retired from sea-faring, again visited their South Sea friends. The king donned the old coat, now frayed and with but few buttons remaining; the queen wore the old-fashioned spangled skirt, and thus arrayed entertained their company.

Air-Sea Bomber Success

Southampton, England.—Successful tests have been made with a new air-marine bomber built for the Spanish government by an aircraft firm here. The plane easily "took off" as well as came to anchor on rough water. Pilot, gunner and observer are accommodated in the forward position of the boat and the bombs are carried in the hull.

Slaughtering Coyotes

Broken Bow, Neb.—June was a record month for coyote scalps in this country. Since May 24 539 scalps were brought in to the county clerk's office, 427 of them coming in during the first 16 days of June. They are coming from all parts of the country, which shows that the people are making a determined effort in every section to kill the animals.

MIGHT CAUSE QUAKE THAT WOULD DESTROY NEW YORK

Mad Search for Oil May Cause Radical Changes in This Planet, Says Scientist.

Philadelphia.—"There is a very real danger that New York city may suffer from an earthquake one of these days. Unless the world gets over its mad search for oil there are going to be some radical changes on this planet."

These are some of the startling predictions made by Prof. David Todd of Amherst college, professor of astronomy, internationally known scientist and author of half a dozen books and innumerable articles. Professor Todd is spending the summer on the estate of P. M. Sharples, near West Chester.

New York city, he says, is as likely a site for the next earthquake as any in the United States. This is because of the geological formation of the land beneath it. Earthquakes almost invariably come at a point where two strata or layers beneath the surface of the ground come together. When terrific pressure comes on this point it is inevitable that it should crack.

According to Professor Todd, it has been ascertained that just such an underground joint lies beneath Manhattan island. The pressure which eventually will force this joint apart and cause an earthquake is caused by the thousands and thousands of tons which are being heaped onto the island in the shape of huge buildings and still huger foundations.

He predicts that when the earthquake finally comes the destruction which will follow will be far greater and more terrible than that which followed the Japanese upheaval of last summer.

Professor Todd is also pessimistic over the consequences of the "oil madness" which is gripping the world at the present time. "Did you ever see a driller strike oil?" he asked. "If you have you will get some idea of the tremendous pressure which is locked up in the ground beneath us. It is this pressure which holds the world in shape. And with countless hundreds of oil wells tapping this pressure in every part of the globe, what will be the result I dare not predict."

Henry Ford Buys Two More Historic Homes

Boston.—Henry Ford has bought two more important New England landmarks. Two early homes at North Kingston, R. I., built about the middle of the Seventeenth century, already are on their way to Sudbury, Mass., where they are to be rebuilt. Sudbury is the site of the famous Longfellow Wayside inn, which Ford owns. The houses are known as the Sanford and Congdon places. The Sanford place was erected about 1650. Richard Smith built the Congdon place as a trading post in 1650.

Prominent People

Exclusive Club Ousts Him After Fracas

As a result of his attack on Dr. James T. Mitchell on the club golf course, Senator Joseph T. Robinson of Arkansas, Democratic floor leader of the senate, has been ordered expelled from the exclusive Chevy Chase club.

Senator Robinson's expulsion was voted by a special committee which drew up a resolution setting forth the facts in the case. So far as is known the action is unprecedented in the club's history. Chevy Chase, with one of the most select membership lists in the country, generally keeps its affairs to itself.

Senator Robinson was playing in a foursome on the day of the fight with Doctor Mitchell, his companions being Senators Thomas J. Walsh of Montana, Andrieus Jones of New Mexico and John B. Kendrick of Wyoming.

One hole behind the senatorial foursome came Doctor Mitchell, nationally famous as a surgeon, with Col. Edward Clifford of Chicago, former undersecretary of the treasury, and Edward Clifford, Jr.

The senators are said to have been proceeding slowly and, according to testimony before the investigating committee, Doctor Mitchell asked permission to drive through.

It is further said that this was accorded, but that Senator Robinson objected and engaged in words with Doctor Mitchell, which ended by his striking the surgeon in the face and knocking him down. Thereupon Senator Walsh, chairman of the recent Democratic convention, intervened.

M. Painleve: Politician and Scientist

Paul Painleve, well known to Americans as the French radical Socialist politician, is one of the leading figures in the new left wing of the French government. M. Painleve was one of France's war premiers, his ministry preceding that of Clemenceau. In the chamber of deputies elected in 1919, he was a member of the opposition, especially during the Poincare regime. The new chamber recently elected him its president by a vote of 296 to 209 for M. Maginot, Poincare's minister of war.

When Millerand was forced to resign by the left bloc's boycotting tactics Painleve was Herriot's choice for the vacancy in the Elysee. But the radicals of the senate went over to Paul Doumergue, the presiding officer of their body, and elected him with the support of the Nationalists.

These facts indicate M. Painleve's status in politics, which is one of distinction. He is a moderate radical, much like Herriot and with the same academic background. He is an intellectual, not a leader risen from the ranks of labor like Premier Ramsay MacDonald.

But there is another Painleve, very little known outside of France. That is Painleve the savant, one of the most honored figures in the French scientific world. In this field his reputation is more general and the esteem felt for him more ungrudging than in the arena of politics.

Gets Nomination and Then He Loses It

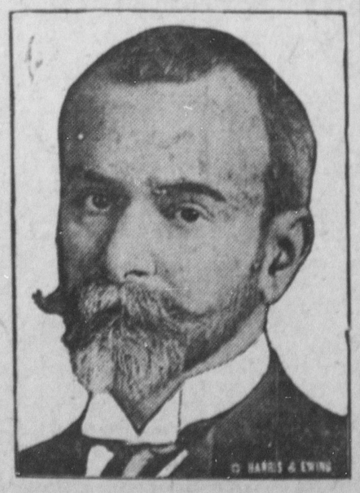
Duncan MacDonald, until recently the Presidential nominee of the Communist controlled convention of the Farmer-Labor party, has lost his job. For many years he played an important part in directing the affairs of labor in Illinois. He held the position of secretary with the state coal miners' union and the presidency of the Illinois Federation of Labor.

MacDonald's first tilt in organized labor occurred when he clashed with Frank Farrington, president of the Illinois Coal Miners' union. As secretary of that organization MacDonald launched an attack on a series of alleged irregularities in Farrington's office. The ensuing fight was bitter and ended when MacDonald was ousted. MacDonald was elected head of the state federation of labor through the votes of the coal miners who practically dictate the naming of the pilot. He met defeat at the next election.

At the recent Peoria convention of the state coal miners MacDonald was mentioned as Farrington's probable successor.

But with apparent success in view MacDonald committed the mistake which practically blasted hopes for regaining lost leadership—he associated with William Z. Foster and his cohorts in forming a new third party in the state. His conservative friends deserted him. MacDonald followed along with the Foster brigade, believing it afforded him the necessary weapon to continue his fight against the Farrington machine. Events moved quickly. At the St. Paul convention MacDonald was nominated for President. A little later his candidacy was supplanted with that of William Z. Foster's.

Jusserand, Dean of Diplomats, Departs



Jules J. Jusserand, ambassador from France to the United States and popularly known as the dean of the diplomatic corps at Washington, has left for Europe. Before departing he called at the White House to bid good by to President Coolidge, and now rumor has it that this venerable old gentleman has decided to retire from public life and may never return to America.

M. Jusserand came to Washington in 1902 as ambassador of France, and, as far as can be determined, his 22-year stay establishes a record for length of service.

Not only will he be missed in official Washington, but, if the rumor is confirmed and he does not return, his loss will be greatly felt by capital society, in which he and his charming wife, who is noted for her ability as a hostess, have been prominent figures for many years.

M. Jusserand entered the diplomatic service of France as soon as he had attained his majority. Before coming to America he served as minister to Denmark from 1898 to 1902. Ten American universities have conferred on him the degree of LL.D.

1,000,000 Suffer From Hay Fever

Development of Suburbs Helps Increase Disease.

New York.—The records of the American Hay Fever association indicate that the victims of hay fever in the United States are more than 1,000,000, and that the number is steadily increasing, both apparently and actually. This is set forth by William Scheppegrell, A. M., M. D., president of the American Hay Fever association, and chief surgeon of the hay fever and asthma clinic, Charity hospital, New Orleans, in a paper on the subject for the United States public health service.

The apparent increase is attributed to the fact that many cases of hay fever, especially those occurring outside of the most common fall season and formerly classified as summer colds, rhinitis, recurrent catarrh, etc., are now more generally recognized as hay fever. The increase is also real, as the increase in facilities of transportation, by means of automobiles and trolley cars, has resulted in an increase in the development of suburban settlements, practically all of which are more or less directly exposed to pollen infestation. In view of the importance of hay fever, as regards both the large number affected and the length and severity of the symptoms, Doctor Scheppegrell says the treatment of this disease demands a most careful consideration.

Care in Choosing Homes.

"In the selection of homes hay fever subjects should choose localities distant from weed-infested areas," continues the paper. "The pollen of the grasses and of the summer hay fever weeds generally does not ordinarily travel very far, and a mile is usually a safe distance. The pollen of the ragweeds and other fall hay fever weeds, however, is very buoyant and in windy weather may travel five miles or more.

"The effects of tree pollens should also be borne in mind by persons subject to hay fever. In view of the large number of persons in the United States afflicted with hay fever, the subjects of trees and plants from a hay fever standpoint should be given due consideration by the modern landscape architect.

"During their attacks of hay fever patients should avoid localities infested with weeds generally, and especially with those weeds to the pollen of which they are sensitive. Should their neighborhood be infested with weeds, and an ordinance be in force prohibiting such condition, it should, in the interest of public health, be reported to the board of health.

"Electric fans should be avoided during the hay fever season, as the chilling of the surface of the skin tends to react on the mucous membrane of the nose, and in this way to increase the nasal irritation. In addition to this, the current of air from the fans disturbs the dust, which contains its proportion of pollen during the hay fever season, the inhalation of which increases the discomfort of the patient.

"Hay fever subjects are frequently surprised that their symptoms are aggravated in theaters, where they expected protection from atmospheric pollen. The reason is that modern amusement halls operating in summer are practically all supplied with typhoon fans. These draw in the pollen-laden air in enormous quantities and force it into the auditorium, where the effect is quickly felt by those sensitive to these pollens. Such places of amusement should, therefore, be avoided by unimmunized hay fever subjects during the season of their attacks.

"A reasonable amount of exercise is beneficial; but this should be taken without increased exposure to the hay fever pollen. Swimming, especially in salt water, is an excellent form of exercise.

"A cold shower after a warm bath is an excellent means of toning the skin and stimulating the nervous system in hay fever cases. The regular practice of this makes the patient less sensitive to changes of temperature and to air currents which tend to increase the nasal irritation in these cases. The cold showers should be followed by vigorous rubbing and are beneficial in all cases except when the patient fails to react from the shower and when they are contraindicated on account of high blood pressure or other reasons.

"Before making a change in residence, with a view of obtaining benefit in hay fever, especially if the change is to be permanent, the patient should consult a physician familiar with the etiology of hay fever. Unless this is the case, not only may the result be disappointing, but the conditions may even be aggravated.

"Railroad trips during the hay fever season should, if possible, be avoided by hay fever patients, as they usually cause severe attacks."

High Rivers Flood English Towns

The flood season is at hand in sections of England, due to the overflowing of rivers. Here is a scene at Worcester, where a family is getting home from business by boat and step-ladder, while a swan swims by.

FREED, DEPORTED, SUED

Dr. Fritz Wilhelm Bischoff, Irvington (N. J.) dentist, was recently pardoned by President Coolidge after serving six years in Atlanta penitentiary for bombing activities in the United States during the World war. Immediately after being released he was deported, and as he was waiting for the steamship to sail he was served with papers in a suit for divorce brought by his wife in New Jersey.

Germany's Shipping Now Ranks Seventh

Gains in Volume After Slipping to Eleventh Place.

Hamburg, Germany.—German shipping claims to be fighting against tremendous odds in its attempt to regain its place in the sun. The loss of 90 per cent of the German commercial fleet through the war and the terms of surrender means that German shipowners practically have had to start anew. By taking up loans, buying back some of the ships delivered to the entente victors under the treaty of Versailles and refraining from paying dividends in recent years the shipping concerns of Germany have gradually worked up a postwar tonnage of 2,800,000 gross register tons, which is about one-half the German prewar tonnage and which comprises 4 per cent of the total world's tonnage as compared with 11 per cent in 1914.

From eleventh place in 1920 among the shipping nations of the world, Germany has moved to seventh place by 1924 as compared with second place in 1914.

Roedern Pictures Conditions.

Count Siegfried Roedern, chairman of the League of German Shipowners and Freighters, in a prepared statement replying to specific questions, gave the following picture of shipping conditions:

"In 1914 the German merchant marine occupied second place among the merchant fleets of the world as far as actual tonnage was concerned. It then comprised 5,200,000 gross register tons and was surpassed only by Great Britain.

"In the course of the war Germany lost about half of her ships through seizure, sinking, etc. Next, in accordance with the terms of the Versailles treaty, she had to give up approximately the second half. Included among the vessels that had to be turned over to the victors were all the larger passenger boats. By the peace treaty and the German legislation resulting therefrom German shipping was compelled to pay a part of the war bill immediately in kind by giving up not only the ships already in the service, but also those under construction.

"It was the sense of the treaty of Versailles that this delivery by private capital was to be regarded as a payment on account by the German empire and hence to be refunded to the individual concerns by the German state. The financial condition of the reich made complete indemnification impossible. An agreement was therefore reached between the government and the shipowners by which the latter were to receive an amount sufficient to rebuild but one-third of their prewar tonnage.

Inflation Makes Handicap.

"Because of the inflation of the last years the indemnity payments of the government did not suffice to rebuild the third of the old tonnage agreed upon. Besides, in distributing the government indemnity the small shipowners were to be given the preference, so that most of the larger concerns were able to finance a replacement program of but 20 per cent of the prewar tonnage out of the funds furnished by the government. The fact that the larger concerns nevertheless built on an average one-third of their old tonnage is due solely to their watering their stock and assuming new debts.

"Due to the fact that a number of small and middle-sized concerns were able to exceed this program and that several new companies have been founded the entire German merchant marine has now, upon completion of the reconstruction program, been brought to 2,800,000 tons—in other words, to about one-half of the prewar tonnage—both by new construction and through the repurchase of vessels delivered.

"Compared with the former fleet, the present comprises comparatively few purely passenger ships and more mixed freght-and-passenger vessels as well as freighters pure and simple. The fact that these newly constructed ships are equipped with modern machinery does not counterbalance the fact that the total value of the ships has depreciated over the prewar value.

Germany has taken up her principal former routes, such as those to North America, South America, the Orient, Dutch East Indies and Australia.

"The indemnity payments for the merchant vessels delivered were continued only until March, 1923. Since that time no additional payments have been made by the reich for the uncompleted part of the reconstruction program.

"The building program undertaken as a result of the indemnity payments is now complete to within four or five ships. It is self-evident that for years to come the building pace of the last years of reconstruction or even of the years before the war cannot be kept up."

Bobbed Hair Game Sportier Than 'Beaver'

Paris.—It is now almost impossible to discover women with long hair in Paris, and a new game has been invented which is more successful than "beaver" was some time ago.

Each time a woman who has long hair is spotted in the street by one of the players ten points is awarded, but the game becomes somewhat boring, for there are far fewer unbobbed women than bearded men.

Colored wigs are again popular, and the other evening at a fashionable "souper dansant" in the Champs Elysees no fewer than 38 wigs were seen in the assembly.

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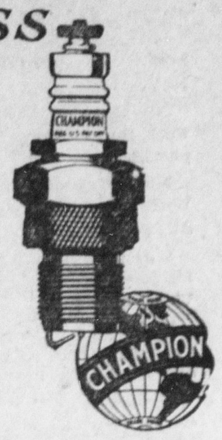

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Here and There.

Plenty of parking space without charge at Business Men's Picnic.

Mr. and Mrs. John Blanchard have been visiting with relatives in Yonkers, N. Y.

Mrs. Carrol Korman was taken ill last week, the case being diagnosed as ty phoid fever.

Misses Verna Chambers and Catherine Wian have been enjoying a vacation in Atlantic City.

A guaranteed folding coil bed spring for wooden beds, August Sale price $5.70 W. R. Brachbill.

Ed Baney, known from coast to coast as an expert barber, is spending a few days in the home town.

Prothonotary and Mrs. Roy Wilkinson are entertaining the former's mother, Mrs. John Wilkinson, of Philadelphia.

Jack Lane, of Philadelphia, spent the week-end with friends in Bellefonte, returning to the city on Monday morning.

Mrs. Mary Dietrich, of Hublersburg, was admitted to the Lock Haven hospital on Tuesday night for medical treatmen'.

Charles Dorworth, Jr., and his uncle, Hugh Crider, of Atlantic City, departed today for a month's trip to Yellowstone Park.

200 Rag Rugs 25x50 inches, August Sale price 69c. No more than two to a customer. W. R. Brachbill's Furniture Store.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Mingle, who have been enjoying an extended visit to Atlantic City, are expected to arrive home on Saturday.

Tyrone defeated Nittany Country Club, 8 to 6, in last Thursday's golf tournament. It was a closely contested match from start to finish.

The traffic directors at the park on Business Men's Picnic day are for your convenience. Follow their instructions, but do not pay anything.

Willard VanCamp, of Pittsburgh, returned home on Monday after a short visit with his wife at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Evey.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Canfield, and two children, of Minneapolis, Minn., are guests at the Bush House this week, of the former's sister, Mrs. Lewis Daggett.

Eight piece Colonial Oak dining room suit quartered oak buffet, set chairs with arm chair and table, regular price $104 August Sale price $83.00. W. R. Brachbill.

Don't neglect that cough. Wenck's Glycerole of Tar and Wild Cherry will give relief, without harmful dope or alcohol. 25 and 50 cents, all Druggists and Dealers

The Junior Catholic Daughters of America spent a merry week in camp on Spring Creek, under the supervision of Mrs. Helen Gamble and Miss Mary Woods.

Mrs. Maynard Murch, and son Maynard, Jr., of Cleveland, O., and Miss Helen Boynton, of Elmira, N. Y., are visiting at the home of Mrs. Wells L. Daggett, on Linn Street.

Charles Frahkenberger, well known in Bellefonte as a taxi driver for Robert Roan, recently joined the U. S. Navy and has been ordered to report at Newport, R. I., for training.

On its fourth weekly tour, the Blair County auto club passed through Bellefonte on Sunday, enroute to Lock Haven, its objective for the run. A distance of 178 miles was covered on the tour.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Godschall, of Camden, N. J., are spending part of the former's vacation at the home of Mrs. Godschall's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Lamb, on North Allegheny Street.

Junior Polyerome Floor Lamps, piped stems, weighted bases, two lights with double lined silk shades. Regular Price $19.00. August Sale price $13.75, Bridge lamps to match $10.50. W. R. Brachbill.

Bond Musser, who moved with his family to Red Lion some time ago, to take a position in his brother-in-law's garage, returned to Bellefonte this week and has accepted a position with the Emerick Motor Bus company with whom he was affiliated for some years.

A party of five young women, three of whom are from Bellefonte, will leave on Saturday for a two weeks' trip to Atlantic City. They are Mrs. Clarence Williams, and the Misses Rachael Lambert, Alice Waite, of Bellefonte, Edith Ashe, of Marysville, and Ethel Crider, of Lock Haven.

Miss Mary C. Royer, daylight supervisor on the first floor of the Altoona Hospital, and Miss Pauline Clements, who holds a similar position on the third floor of the same institution, arrived at their respective homes in Bellefonte last week, for a month's vacation. The two girls expect to join a camping party later in August, until the time for their return to duty.

The condition of the venerable A. G. Morris, who is ill at his home on East Linn St., remains about the same. Some days he appears to be slightly stronger, which is of course greatly gratifying to the family and friends. It is the hope of his numerous admirers that he will recover not only to enjoy his 90th birthday anniversary in November, but many more of them.

All roads to park August 14. Business Men's Picnic day. No charge for parking.

Mrs. David Dale and daughter Ann have been spending several days in Altoona.

John Curry, of Elwood City, is a guest at the home of his grandfather, Charles F. Cook.

The 20% Discount Sale at W. R. Brachbill's Furniture Store positively closes Sat. Aug, 16th.

Mr. and Mrs. James C. Furst and children were arrivals home from Rehobeth Beach, Del., last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Mangino motored to Philadelphia on Friday of last week, returning home on Tuesday.

Mrs. Freidman and daughter Irene, are guests at the home of the former's mother, Mrs. Herman Holz.

Dr. J. Walter Kurtz, of Howard, and son Walter, Jr., of Pittsburgh, were Bellefonte visitors on Wednesday.

Miss Mary Fravel, of Williamsport, is spending a two weeks vacation with her sister, Catherine Fravel, of Bellefonte.

Everybody is going to the Business Men's Picnic August 14. Free parking space under direction of careful "cops."

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Smith returned to Bellefonte on Wednesday, after a most enjoyable two weeks vacation at Atlantic City.

Miss Madeline Barnhart, of Braddock, arrived last Wednesday to spend several weeks at the home of her cousin, Miss Mary Musser.

Mrs. Christine Benson, of New York City, arrived in Bellefonte on Monday for an extended visit with her daughter, Mrs. Basil Mott.

Mrs. James R. Hughes and sister, Miss Emma Green, departed on Tuesday for Danville, where Mrs. Hughes will enter the Geissinger hospital for a minor operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Johnson and little daughter, of Akron, O., motored to this place last week for a visit with the former's mother, Mrs. Ann Johnson, on Valentine Street.

Genuine Reed living room suit 6ft davenport with rocker and floor chair upholstered seats and backs in excellent grade cover, regular price $86.50, Sale price $68.50. August Furniture Sale, W. R. Brachbill.

The many friends of Harold Thompson, husband of Sarah McGinley, of this place, will be pleased to learn that he is slowly recovering from his recent illness and is able to be about at his mother's home, near Erie.

Miss Mary Underwood gave a picnic Wednesday afternoon at Hecla for her nieces, the Misses Martha, Edith and Jean, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Underwood, of Warren, who are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Underwood.

Max Gamble drove to Philippi, W. Va., last Thursday and on his return was accompanied by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Gamble, and his sister, Mrs. A. P. Williams, who had been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. O'Brien, at Philippi, for some time.

A group of Bellefonte young folks enjoying a week's camping on Fishing Creek includes Misses Henrietta Quigley, Catherine Love, Catherine Allison, Emily Crider, May Crider, Martha Hunter, Eleanor Sheffer, Sarah Ray, Marian Harm and Louise Taylor.

Misses Mary Melvin, of Elmira, N. Y., and Mary Brown, of New York City, are spending their vacations at the home of Mrs. James Noonan, on Logan St. Miss Margaret Noonan, also of New York, arrived home on Monday to spend her vacation with her mother and sister.

Several victrolas have been presented to the prisoners at the Rockview penitentiary recently, but there are no records for them. Any person who has old records is requested to bring them to the Potter-Hoy hardware store and they have volunteered to see that the same are safely delivered to Rockview.

Tom Beaver's fox terrier, "Bud," which has first call among the hunting and watch dogs at the Beaver farm, disappeared one day last fall, as suddenly and completely as if he had been swallowed up by the earth. Inquiry and search in every direction failed to reveal any trace of the missing dog. Last week "Bud" limped into a camp of some folks from Williamsport, located nearby Jersey Shore. He still wore his 1923 license tag, and by this means his ownership was established and the dog restored to the Beaver home where his appearance brought joy to the hearts of more than the Beaver kiddies. "Bud" was bruised considerably on one side of his head and body, suggesting that he probably jumped or fell from an automobile some time after he presumably was stolen. How far he was carried before he started on his wearisome but successful journey homeward no one knows.

Half Holiday in Booster Stores.

Summer half-holidays for employees of Booster Stores have started in Altoona and will continue every Thursday during the remainder of August. As has been the custom for several years members of the Booster Association have come to realize that not only their employees but they themselves are entitled to a relaxation from duties during the hot weather, when it is much more pleasant to be outdoors. The stores are closingly promptly at 12 o'clock noon every Thursday, but are observing their regular hours throughout the week.

BASEBALL NOTES

Rain Spoiled Thursday's Game State Wallops Millheim.

State College is at last coming into her own. She won no less than two of the three games played last week. On Thursday evening Centre Hall bit the dust to the tune of 8 to 2. On Saturday, mighty Millheim was absolutely scuttled in the first game of the double header at State College. Score 10 to 2. Millheim pulled herself together somewhat in the second game however and succeeded in winning by the extremely narrow margin of 1 point. Score 1 to 0.

Rain spoiled the game between Bellefonte and Millheim on Thursday evening, but the local sluggers succeeded in knocking Centre Hall off on Saturday 10–8.

One of the freakiest games of the season was that played here Tuesday evening between Bellefonte and Millheim. The latter was defeated 2 to 1. There was not one earned run in the game. Millheim scored her lone tally when "Swenk" Smith missed a pitched ball on the last strike. It rolled under the grandstand and before it was recovered the Millheim batter had gaily trotted around the circuit for a "home run." Both of Bellefonte's runs were the results of errors on the part of Millheim's infield.

The standing of the clubs is as follows:

	Won	Lost	Percentage
Bellefonte	17	3	850
Millheim	11	10	524
Centre Hall	7	13	350
State College	6	15	286

The schedule for this week is as follows: Thursday, Bellefonte at State College, and Centre Hall at Millheim; Saturday, Bellefonte at Millheim and State College at Centre Hall.

DIAMOND CHIPS.

Only one game was played last week. Just as Thursday's game was about to start, Jupiter Pluvius stepped in and stopped hostilities. After about 10 minutes of J. P.'s act, it looked as if the Hughes swimming pool had been moved 500 yards south.

The tilt on Saturday was an old-time slugging bee. Twenty hits for a total of 38 bases and 18 runs were registered during the pastime.

'Hen' Montgomery's three-bagger with the sacks populated in the fifth was the feature of the game. It was certainly a wholesome wallop and for a fast man would have been an easy homer.

The fielding feature of the day was pulled by Malone in the ninth when he made a one-hand stop of Foust's sizzler over second base and nailed his man at first with plenty of time to spare.

STATION BURNED

Blaze at Beech Creek Believed of Incendiary Origin.

The passenger and freight station of the Pennsylvania railroad, a frame structure about 40x60 feet in size, located about a mile and a half from the borough of Beech Creek, was totally destroyed by fire last Friday evening. The contents, including several cases of merchandise belonging to Beech Creek merchants, also passenger tickets, a typewriter, telegraph instruments, and a suit of clothes belonging to D. A. Barlett, of Bellefonte, the agent, were also destroyed. The loss is estimated at about $2,500, and is partially covered by insurance carried by the company.

The fire is believed to have been of incendiary origin and was discovered by residents of Beech Creek about 11.40 o'clock at night. Call was sent to Lock Haven for fire apparatus, but owing to the fact that only one of the pumpers of that town was in working order it was deemed inadvisable to send it out. However, an engine was sent from Lock Haven with a pump and hose and rendered excellent service in preventing the flames from spreading. The old building was erected about fifty years ago, but has been continually improved so that it was modern and convenient in every way. A temporary structure will probably be erected until the old one can be replaced.

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Recent Births.

Following are the births recorded in this district by Miss Alice Tate for the month of July:

Mr. and Mrs. Reeder Jodon, Bellefonte, R. D., twins, Phil Hastings and Phyllis.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd F. White, Bellefonte, R. D., on July 25, a daughter, Sarah Louise.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Nelo, Bellefonte, on July 23, a daughter, Rose Marie.

Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Rumbarger, Bellefonte, on July 22, a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Justice, Bellefonte, July 31, a son.

Mr. and Mrs. Audrew J. Shivery, Bellefonte, on July 25, a son, Guy Coburn.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd R. Horner, Pleasant Gap, on July 15, a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Torrence D. Miller, Bellefonte, on July 12, a son, Torrence Leary.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Oscar Peters, Bellefonte, on July 15, a son, Howard Oscar, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson P. Ard, on July 12, a son, Robert Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Deitrich, Mingoville, on July 15, a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey G. Sunday, Pennsylvania Furnace, on July 12, a daughter, Dorothy.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Steele, Bellefonte, on July 1, a daughter, Sara.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Tressler, Walker Twp., on July 5, a son, Donald.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel W. Cole, Bellefonte, on July 5, a daughter, Hazel Agnes.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Rockey, Bellefonte, on July 1, a son, Elmer Edward, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry A. Long, Bellefonte, June 30, a son, Clyde Edgar.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd A. Stover, Bellefonte, on July 6, a daughter, Hilda Larue.

Klan Attended Funeral.

The first funeral in Bald Eagle valley where the Ku Klux Klan attended in full regalia to pay honors to one of its deceased members was that of Manning Casselberry, at Mt. Eagle, last Saturday afternoon, who died in the Lock Haven hospital as the result of a broken back sustained by a fall of rock and coal in the Heaton mine near Snow Shoe where the man was employed as a miner. The funeral was largely attended, the service at the home being conducted by Rev. Charles W. Rishel, of Pleasant Gap, a former pastor of the Howard M. E. church. The service at the grave in behalf of the Klan was by Rev. Mr. Johnson, of Orviston.

ONCE MORE

Dollar Day in Altoona Booster Stores, Next Wednesday.

Mary crossed the mountain and we still had rain but not for the required time. In fact, you can only believe in one sign and that is the sign which tells you of Booster Stores' Dollar Day in Altoona.

This sign tells you of Dollar Day and the Official Booster Stores' window card tells you that the Altoona Booster Association stands back of every Dollar Day purchase.

Everywhere you will find merchants who take advantage of the other fellow's integrity and buy up junk in order to cash-in on those who offer legitimate values on specially appointed Bargain Days. The wise buyer looks for the Official window card of the Altoona Booster Association, knowing he or she may depend upon the quality of the merchandise because "if the merchant DOESN'T, the association does GUARANTEE EVERY PURCHASE.

This is the season when the buyer has a real opportunity to buy seasonable merchandise. The summer is still with us (what's the temperature in Bellefonte?) and will be with us for some months. Therefore come and see. Read the Tribune and Mirror and don't be misled by the advertisements of those who are not members of the association.

Next Wednesday—the 13th—Altoona. Come and look. It's worth the trip if you only make us a visit.

Made Great Golf Score.

State Senator R. S. Quigley, of Lock Haven, a brother of Judge Quigley, of Bellefonte, in winning the qualifying round of the annual mid-summer invitation tournament of the Shawnee country club last Friday with a card of 71 set a new amateur record for the rebuilt mountain course, at Shawnee on the Delaware. He went out in 37 and took only 34 on the homeward journey. Spencer Jones, Philadelphia, with 38-36-74, finished second and M. Barton also, of Philadelphia with 39-38 77 was third. The field included nearly 100 players, representing clubs in all sections of the East.

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